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- (new) A solar cell comprising:
 - a germanium substrate; and
 - a layer of material including In and P disposed directly on the germanium substrate.
- (new) A solar cell as defined in claim 54, wherein the layer of material is InGaP.

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L24 ANSWER 1 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

142:300899 1.6/1.1 eV metamorphic **GaInP/GaInAs solar**

cells grown by MOVPE on Ge. Fetzer, C. M.; Yoon, H.; King, R. R.; Law, D. C.; Isshiki, T. D.; Karam, N. H. (Spectrolab Engineering Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342-5373, USA). Journal of Crystal Growth, 276(1-2), 48-56 (English) 2005. CODEN: JCRGAE. ISSN: 0022-0248. Publisher: Elsevier B.V..

AB This paper focuses on the metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy (MOVPE) growth of two-junction **solar cells** where epitaxial Ga_{0.29}In_{0.71}P top and Ga_{0.77}In_{0.23}As bottom subcells are grown lattice-mismatched on a **Ge substrate**. Single-junction metamorphic devices with Ga_{0.77}In_{0.23}As are grown on 100-mm diam. (001) **Ge substrates**. Layers are obsd. to be fully relaxed by high-resoln. x-ray diffraction. Threading dislocation densities of 3.1 .times. 10⁶ cm⁻² are measured. Single-junction devices in the 1.1-eV materials demonstrate near 100% internal quantum efficiency above the band gap and an open-circuit voltage comparable to world-record silicon photovoltaic devices. The presence and strength of CuPtB ordering is explored in controlling the band gap of the Ga_{0.29}In_{0.71}P top subcell devices between 1.647 and 1.593 eV. An order parameter of 0.28 is measured by x-ray measurement of the forbidden 1/2 (115) reflection for the low-band gap material. The presence of low-resistance shunt pathways is obsd. as the present obstacle to reaching the potential efficiency of 30% for these metamorphic dual-junction devices.

IT 219652-96-7, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.29}In_{0.71}P) (fabrication and testing of 1.6/1.1 eV metamorphic gallium indium phosphide/gallium indium arsenide **solar cells** grown by metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy on germanium)

RN 219652-96-7 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.29}In_{0.71}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.71	7440-74-6
Ga	0.29	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST indium gallium phosphide metamorphic **solar cell**;
 gallium indium arsenide metamorphic **solar cell**;
solar cell metamorphic growth **germanium**
substrate

IT Metalorganic vapor phase epitaxy
Solar cells
 (fabrication and testing of 1.6/1.1 eV metamorphic gallium indium
 phosphide/gallium indium arsenide **solar cells**
 grown by metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy on germanium)
 IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 109301-90-8, Gallium indium arsenide
 (Ga_{0.77}In_{0.23}As) **219652-96-7**, Gallium indium phosphide
 (Ga_{0.29}In_{0.71}P)
 (fabrication and testing of 1.6/1.1 eV metamorphic gallium indium
 phosphide/gallium indium arsenide **solar cells**
 grown by metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy on germanium)

L24 ANSWER 2 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 142:180400 Structuring of dual **solar cells** using
 nano-growth molecular beam epitaxy. Lee, Yong Tak; Song, Jin Dong
 (Kwangju Institute of Science and Technology, S. Korea). Repub.
 Korean Kongkae Taeho Kongbo KR 2003002105 A 20030108, No pp. given
 (Korean). CODEN: KRXXA7. APPLICATION: KR 2001-38845 20010630.

AB This dual **solar cell** has an absorbing layer
 adapted to the solar spectrum and it is made by MBE using
 short-period super-elastic growth. A p-type substrate is formed
 with a p-type contact layer and a GaAs or **Ge**
substrate. A lower energy absorbing layer is formed with a
GaInP(p) BSF, a GaAs(p) base, a GaAs(n) emitter, and a
GaInP(n) window. A **GaInP**(n) emitter has a nano
 column structure of **GaInP**(p) BSF. A **GaInP**(n)
 base has a nano column structure. An upper energy absorbing layer
 is formed with an AlInP(n) window. The upper energy absorbing layer
 is formed on a base and an emitter by using a short-period
 super-elastic growth method.

IT **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium phosphide
 (in structuring of dual **solar cells** using
 nano-growth mol. beam epitaxy)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-04

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST dual **solar cell** structure nano growth mol beam epitaxy

IT Molecular beam epitaxy
Nanostructures

Solar cells

(structuring of dual **solar cells** using
nano-growth mol. beam epitaxy)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 7440-56-4, Germanium,
uses **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium phosphide 107121-39-1,
Aluminum indium phosphide
(in structuring of dual **solar cells** using
nano-growth mol. beam epitaxy)

L24 ANSWER 3 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

141:352724 Multijunction photovoltaic cell grown on high-miscut-angle
substrate. King, Richard R.; Ermer, James H.; Colter, Peter C.;
Fetzer, Chris (The Boeing Company, USA). U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ. US
2004200523 A1 20041014, 21 pp. (English). CODEN: USXXCO.
APPLICATION: US 2003-413906 20030414.

AB The present invention provides a photovoltaic cell comprising a
GaInP subcell comprising a disordered group-III sublattice,
a Ga(In)As subcell disposed below the **GaInP** subcell, and a
Ge substrate disposed below the Ga(In)As subcell
comprising a surface misoriented from a (100) plane by an angle from
about 8 degrees to about 40 degrees toward a nearest (111) plane.

IT **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P)
(multijunction photovoltaic cell grown on high-miscut-angle
substrate)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-00
 INCL 136262000; 136252000
 CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76
 ST **solar** photovoltaic **cell** high miscut angle
 substrate
 IT Optoelectronic semiconductor devices
 Semiconductor materials
 Tandem **solar cells**
 Tunnel junctions
 (multijunction photovoltaic cell grown on high-miscut-angle
 substrate)
 IT 409-21-2, Sic, uses 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses
 1306-25-8, Cadmium telluride (CdTe), uses 1312-41-0 1314-13-2,
 Zinc oxide (ZnO), uses 1315-09-9, Zinc selenide (ZnSe)
 1315-11-3, Zinc telluride (ZnTe) 1344-28-1, Alumina, uses
 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 11085-97-5,
 Aluminum gallium arsenide phosphide ((Al,Ga)(As,P)) 11148-21-3
 12626-36-7, Cadmium selenide sulfide (Cd(Se,S)) 12645-36-2,
 Gallium indium arsenide phosphide ((Ga,In)(As,P)) 20859-73-8,
 Aluminum phosphide (AlP) 22831-42-1, Aluminum arsenide (AlAs)
 24304-00-5, Aluminum nitride (AlN) 25617-97-4, Gallium nitride
 (GaN) 25617-98-5, Indium nitride (InN) 37382-15-3, Aluminum
 gallium arsenide ((Al,Ga)As) 59989-74-1, Zinc selenide sulfide
 (Zn(Se,S)) 60953-19-7, Gallium arsenide phosphide (Ga(As,P))
 106070-23-9, Aluminum indium arsenide ((Al,In)As) 106070-25-1,
 Gallium indium arsenide ((Ga,In)As) 106097-44-3, Aluminum gallium
 nitride ((Al,Ga)N) **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium phosphide
 ((Ga,In)P) 106389-74-6, Cadmium zinc telluride ((Cd,Zn)Te)
 106603-89-8, Antimony gallium arsenide ((Sb,As)Ga) 106603-90-1,
 Indium arsenide phosphide (In(As,P)) 106604-01-7, Gallium indium
 antimonide gainsb 107102-89-6, Aluminum gallium indium phosphide
 ((Al,Ga,In)P) 107121-39-1, Aluminum indium phosphide ((Al,In)P)
 107404-26-2, Aluminum indium arsenide phosphide ((Al,In)(As,P))
 107404-28-4, Aluminum Indium antimonide phosphide 107874-73-7,
 Cadmium zinc selenide ((Cd,Zn)Se) 108398-96-5, Cadmium zinc
 selenide telluride ((Cd,Zn)(Se,Te)) 108821-49-4, Zinc selenide
 telluride (Zn(Se,Te)) 110758-38-8 120994-22-1, Aluminum indium
 nitride ((Al,In)N) 120994-23-2, Gallium indium nitride ((Ga,In)N)
 124504-34-3, Aluminum antimony gallium arsenide ((Al,Sb,Ga)As)
 127275-97-2 127575-65-9, Aluminum gallium indium nitride
 ((Al,Ga,In)N) 144972-86-1, Copper gallium indium selenide
 156739-92-3, Gallium indium arsenide nitride ((Ga,In)(As,N))
 173018-34-3, Gallium indium nitride phosphide ((Ga,In)(N,P))
 176655-87-1, Copper gallium indium selenide sulfide 177715-13-8,
 Copper gallium indium sulfide 190247-89-3, Antimony gallium indium
 phosphide 219737-63-0, Aluminum gallium indium arsenide nitride
 ((Al,Ga,In)(As,N)) 317817-96-2, Gallium indium antimonide arsenide
 nitride 424824-02-2, Aluminum gallium indium arsenide

((Al,Ga)InAs) 647839-30-3, Aluminum antimony indium phosphide
 666180-19-4, Antimony gallium arsenide boride (SbGaAsB)
 677798-46-8, Gallium indium silver selenide ((Ga,In,Ag)Se)
 775318-30-4, Copper gallium indium telluride 775318-31-5, Gallium
 indium silver telluride 775318-32-6, Copper gallium indium silver
 selenide 775318-33-7
 (multijunction photovoltaic cell grown on high-miscut-angle
 substrate)

L24 ANSWER 4 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

140:114148 High-efficiency metamorphic **GaInP/GaInAs/Ge**
solar cells grown by MOVPE. Fetzer, C. M.; King,
 R. R.; Colter, P. C.; Edmondson, K. M.; Law, D. C.; Stavrides, A.
 P.; Yoon, H.; Ermer, J. H.; Romero, M. J.; Karam, N. H. (Spectrolab,
 Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342-5373, USA). Journal of Crystal Growth,
 261(2-3), 341-348 (English) 2004. CODEN: JCRGAE. ISSN: 0022-0248.
 Publisher: Elsevier.

AB This paper focuses on the metalorg. vapor-phase epitaxy (MOVPE)
 growth of three-junction **solar cells** where the
 epitaxial Ga_{0.44}In_{0.56}P top and Ga_{0.92}In_{0.08}As middle subcells are
 grown lattice-mismatched on a **Ge substrate**.
 Single-junction metamorphic devices with 8%- and 12%-In, GaInAs are
 grown on 100 mm diam. (001) **Ge substrates** and
 evaluated in comparison to approx. lattice-matched GaAs and
 Ga_{0.99}In_{0.01}As subcells. Layers are obsd. to be nearly 100% relaxed
 by high-resoln. x-ray diffraction. Threading dislocation densities
 of .apprx.2 .times. 10⁵ cm⁻² in the 8%-In layers are obsd. by
 electron beam induced current and cathodoluminescence.
 Single-junction devices show a const. offset between open-circuit
 voltage and bandgap of .apprx.380 mV. Building upon these results,
 three-junction metamorphic Ga_{0.44}In_{0.56}P/Ga_{0.92}In_{0.08}As/Ge
solar cells are fabricated. Very high
 performances of small area devices are reported with 28.8%
 efficiency under the air-mass 0 spectrum and 31.3% efficiency under
 the air-mass 1.5G 1-sun terrestrial spectrum.

IT 124923-23-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.44}In_{0.56}P)
 (high-efficiency metamorphic gallium indium phosphide/gallium
 indium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** grown
 by metalorg. vapor-phase epitaxy)

RN 124923-23-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.44}In_{0.56}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.56	7440-74-6
Ga	0.44	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST indium gallium phosphide metamorphic **solar cell**;
 gallium indium arsenide metamorphic **solar cell**;
 germanium metamorphic **solar cell**

IT **Solar cells**
 (high-efficiency metamorphic gallium indium phosphide/gallium
 indium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** grown
 by metalorg. vapor-phase epitaxy)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 107404-63-7, Gallium indium arsenide
 (Ga_{0.92}In_{0.08}As) **124923-23-5**, Gallium indium phosphide
 (Ga_{0.44}In_{0.56}P)
 (high-efficiency metamorphic gallium indium phosphide/gallium
 indium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** grown
 by metalorg. vapor-phase epitaxy)

L24 ANSWER 5 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

139:152230 Single junction **InGaP/GaAs solar**
cells grown on Si substrates using SiGe buffer layers.
 Ringel, S. A.; Carlin, J. A.; Andre, C. L.; Hudait, M. K.; Gonzalez,
 M.; Wilt, D. M.; Clark, E. B.; Jenkins, P.; Scheiman, D.; Allerman,
 A.; Fitzgerald, E. A.; Leitz, C. W. (Department of Electrical
 Engineering, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 43210, USA).
 NASA Conference Publication, 2002-211831(17th Space Photovoltaic
 Research and Technology Conference, 2001), 160-177 (English) 2002.
 CODEN: NACPDJ. ISSN: 0191-7811. Publisher: National Aeronautics
 and Space Administration.

AB Single-junction **InGaP/GaAs solar cells**
 displaying high efficiency and record high open-circuit voltage
 values have been grown by metalorg. chem. vapor deposition on
 Ge/graded SiGe/Si substrates. Open-circuit voltages as high as 980
 mV under air-mass 0 (AM0) conditions have been verified to result
 from a single GaAs junction, with no evidence of Ge-related sub-cell
 photoresponse. Current AM0 efficiencies of close to 16% have been
 measured for a large no. of small area cells, whose performance is
 limited by non-fundamental current losses due to significant surface
 reflection resulting from >10% front surface metal coverage and
 wafer handling during the growth sequence for these prototype cells.
 It is shown that at the material quality currently achieved for GaAs
 grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**, namely a 10 ns
 minority carrier lifetime that results from complete elimination of
 anti-phase domains and maintaining a threading dislocation d. of
 .apprx.8 .times. 10⁵ cm⁻², 19-20% AM0 single-junction GaAs
solar cells are imminent. Expts. show that the
 high performance is not degraded for larger area cells, with
 identical open-circuit voltages and higher short-circuit current
 (due to reduced front metal coverage) values being demonstrated,
 indicating that large area scaling is possible in the near term.
 Comparison to a simple model indicates that the voltage output of
 these GaAs on Si cells follows ideal behavior expected for lattice

mismatched devices, demonstrating that unaccounted for defects and issues that have plagued other methods to epitaxially integrate III-V cells with Si are resolved using SiGe buffers and proper GaAs nucleation methods. These early results already show the enormous and realistic potential of the virtual SiGe substrate approach for generating high-efficiency, lightwt. and strong III-V **solar cells**.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon **substrates** using silicon-**germanium** buffer layers)
RN 106312-00-9 HCA
CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76
ST indium gallium phosphide **solar cell** germanium
silicon buffer; gallium arsenide **solar cell**
germanium silicon buffer
IT **Solar cells**
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon **substrates** using silicon-**germanium** buffer layers)
IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells** grown on germanium/graded silicon-**germanium**/silicon **substrates**)
IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses
11148-21-3 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon **substrates** using silicon-**germanium** buffer layers)

L24 ANSWER 6 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
138:306847 Apparatus and method for optimizing the efficiency of a bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**.
Sharps, Paul R.; Clevenger, Marvin Brad; Stan, Mark A. (Emcore Corp., USA). U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ. US 2003075215 A1 20030424, 10

pp. (English). CODEN: USXXCO. APPLICATION: US 2001-999598
20011024.

AB The invention relates to app. and method for optimizing the efficiency of a bypass diode in **solar cells**. In a preferred embodiment, a layer of TiAu is placed in an etch in a **solar cell** with a contact at a doped layer of GaAs. Elec. current is conducted through a diode and away from the main cell by passing through the contact point at the GaAs and traversing a lateral conduction layer. These means of activating, or "turning on" the diode, and passing the current through the circuit results in greater efficiencies than in prior art devices. The diode is created during the manuf. of the other layers of the cell and does not require addnl. manufg.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide **gainp**
(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
(**substrate**; app. and method for optimizing efficiency of bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L031-00

INCL 136255000; 136249000; 136262000

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST optimization efficiency bypass diode multijunction **solar cell**

IT Schottky contacts
Tandem **solar cells**

(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**)

IT Diodes

(bypass; app. and method for optimizing efficiency of bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 7440-32-6, Titanium, uses

7440-57-5, Gold, uses 106070-25-1, Gallium indium arsenide gainas
 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide **gainp**

(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of bypass diode in
 multijunction **solar cells**)

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
 (**substrate**; app. and method for optimizing efficiency
 of bypass diode in multijunction **solar cells**)

L24 ANSWER 7 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

138:156182 Single-junction **InGaP/GaAs solar**

cells grown on Si substrates with SiGe buffer layers.

Ringel, S. A.; Carlin, J. A.; Andre, C. L.; Hudait, M. K.; Gonzalez,
 M.; Wilt, D. M.; Clark, E. B.; Jenkins, P.; Scheiman, D.; Allerman,
 A.; Fitzgerald, E. A.; Leitz, C. W. (Department of Electrical
 Engineering, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 43210, USA).
 Progress in Photovoltaics, 10(6), 417-426 (English) 2002. CODEN:
 PPHOED. ISSN: 1062-7995. Publisher: John Wiley & Sons Ltd..

AB Single-junction **InGaP/GaAs solar cells**

displaying high efficiency and record high open-circuit voltage
 values have been grown by metalorg. chem. vapor deposition on
 Ge/graded SiGe/Si substrates. Open-circuit voltages of 980 mV under
 air-mass 0 (AM0) conditions have been verified to result from a
 single GaAs junction, with no evidence of Ge-related sub-cell
 photoresponse. AM0 efficiencies close to 16% have been measured for
 a large no. of small-area cells, the performance of which is limited
 by non-fundamental current losses due to significant surface
 reflection resulting from >10% front-surface metal coverage and
 wafer handling during the growth sequence for these prototype cells.
 It is shown that at the material quality currently achieved for GaAs
 grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**, namely a 10 ns
 minority carrier lifetime that results from complete elimination of
 antiphase domains, and maintaining a threading dislocation d. of
 .apprx.8 .times. 10⁵ cm⁻², 19-20% AM0 single junction GaAs cells are
 imminent. Expts. show that the high performance is not degraded for
 larger-area cells, with identical open-circuit voltages and higher
 short-circuit current (due to reduced front metal coverage) values
 being demonstrated, indicating that large-area scaling is possible
 in the near term. Comparison with a simple model indicates that the
 voltage output of these GaAs-on-Si cells follows the ideal behavior
 expected for lattice-mismatched devices, demonstrating that
 unaccounted-for defects and issues that have plagued other methods
 to epitaxially integrate III-V cells with Si are resolved by using
 SiGe buffers and proper GaAs nucleation methods. These early
 results already show the enormous and realistic potential of the
 virtual SiGe substrate approach for generating high-efficiency,
 lightwt. and strong III-V **solar cells**.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium
 arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon

substrates with germanium-silicon buffer layers)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST indium gallium phosphide **solar cell** silicon
substrate; gallium arsenide **solar cell** silicon
substrate; germanium silicon buffer layer **solar
cell**

IT **Solar cells**

(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium
arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon
**substrates with germanium-silicon buffer
layers)**

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses
11148-21-3 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium
arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon
**substrates with germanium-silicon buffer
layers)**

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(performance of single-junction gallium indium phosphide/gallium
arsenide **solar cells** grown on silicon
**substrates with germanium-silicon buffer layers
and)**

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138:92604 Multijunction **solar cells** and novel
structures for **solar cell** applications.
Yamaguchi, Masafumi (Toyota Technological Institute, Tempaku,
Nagoya, 468-8511, Japan). Physica E: Low-Dimensional Systems &
Nanostructures (Amsterdam, Netherlands), 14(1-2), 84-90 (English)
2002. CODEN: PELNFM. ISSN: 1386-9477. Publisher: Elsevier Science
B.V..

AB A review. The present status of R&D program for super-high
efficiency III-V compd. multi-junction **solar cells**
in the New Sunshine Project in Japan is presented. As a result of
InGaP top cell material quality improvement, development of
optically and elec. low-loss double-heterostructure **InGaP**
tunnel junction, photon and carrier confinements, and lattice
matching between active cell layers and **substrate**,

InGaP/InGaAs/Ge monolithic cascade 3-junction cells with an efficiency of 31.7% at 1-sun AM1.5 and **InGaP/GaAs//InGaAs** mech. stacked 3-junction cells with the highest (world-record) efficiency of 33.3% at 1-sun AM1.5 have been realized. As an approach for low-cost and high-efficiency cells, better radiation resistance of GaAs thin-film **solar cells** with novel structures fabricated on Si substrates has also been demonstrated. Novel structures such as Bragg reflector and super-lattice structures are found to show a better initial cell performance and radiation resistance since those layers act as buffer layers to reduce dislocations, and act as a back-surface field and back-surface reflector layers.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)
RN 106312-00-9 HCA
CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-0 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76
ST review **solar cell** multijunction
IT Electron beams
(irradn.; multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)
IT **Solar cells**
Tandem **solar cells**
(multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)
IT Group IIIA element pnictides
(multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)
IT 12256-32-5, Gallium arsenide phosphide GaAs_{0.8}P_{0.2} 106070-25-1,
Gallium indium arsenide 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide 107498-93-1, Gallium indium arsenide Ga_{0.9}In_{0.1}As
(multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)
IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 107121-39-1, Aluminum indium phosphide
(multijunction **solar cells** and novel structures for **solar cell** applications)

137:188314 Gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**

. Bianchi, Maurice P. (TRW Inc., USA). U.S. US 6447938 B1
20020910, 8 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. 6,103,604. (English).
CODEN: USXXAM. APPLICATION: US 2000-632323 20000804. PRIORITY: US
1997-798349 19970210.

AB The title **solar cell** comprises a transparent
conductive coating (TCC) formed from gallium nitride GaN on a
sapphire substrate. In order to account for the lattice mismatch
between the GaN and the sapphire substrate, a nucleation layer is
formed on the sapphire substrate. A mask, for example, SiO₂, is
formed on top of the nucleation layer with a plurality of openings.
GaN is grown through the openings in the mask to form a lateral
epitaxial overgrowth layer upon which defect-free GaN is grown. The
lateral epitaxial overgrowth compensates for the lattice mismatch
between the sapphire substrate and the GaN. The use of a sapphire
substrate eliminates the need for a cover glass and also
significantly reduces the cost of the TCC, since such sapphire
substrates are about 1/7 the cost of **germanium**
substrates. The TCC may then be disposed on a GaAs
solar cell. In order to compensate for the
lattice mismatches between the GaAs and the GaN, an **InGaP**
may be disposed between the GaAs **solar cell** and
the GaN TCC to compensate for the lattice mismatch between the GaN
and the GaAs. In order to further compensate for the lattice
mismatch between the GaN and **InGaP**, the interface may be
formed as a superlattice or as a graded layer. Alternatively, the
interface between the GaN and the **InGaP** may be formed by
the offset method or by wafer fusion. The TCC, in accordance with
the present invention, is able to compensate for the lattice
mismatches at the interfaces of the TCC while eliminating the need
for a cover glass and a relatively expensive **germanium**
substrate.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide

(gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM B32B009-00

INCL 428698000

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** gallium nitride collector grid

- IT **Coating materials**
(elec. conductive, transparent; gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- IT **Solar cells**
(gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 106312-00-9,
Gallium indium phosphide
(gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- IT 24304-00-5, Aluminum nitride 25617-97-4, Gallium nitride gan
(gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- IT 7631-86-9, Silica, uses
(mask; gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- IT 1317-82-4, Sapphire
(substrate; gallium nitride collector grid **solar cell**)
- L24 ANSWER 10 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
136:282020 Apparatus and method for optimizing the efficiency of
germanium junctions in multi-junction **solar cells**
. Stan, Mark A.; Li, Nein Y.; Spadafora, Frank A.; Hou, Hong Q.;
Sharps, Paul R.; Fatemi, Navid S. (USA). U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ. US
20020040727 A1 20020411, 10 pp. (English). CODEN: USXXCO.
APPLICATION: US 2001-885319 20010619. PRIORITY: US 2000-PV212552
20000620.
- AB App. and Method are disclosed for optimizing the efficiency of Ge
junctions in multijunction **solar cells**. In a
preferred embodiment, an **InGaP** nucleation layer is
disposed between the **Ge substrate** and the
overlying dual-junction epilayers for controlling the diffusion
depth of the n-doping in the germanium junction. Specifically, by
acting as a diffusion barrier to As contained in the overlying
epilayers and as a source of n-type dopant for forming the Ge
junction, the nucleation layer enables the growth time and temp. in
the epilayer device process to be minimized without compromising the
integrity of the dual-junction epilayer structure. This in turn
allows the arsenic diffusion into the **germanium substrate**
to be optimally controlled by varying the
thickness of the nucleation layer. An active germanium junction
formed in accordance with the present invention has a typical
diffused junction depth that is 1/5 to 1/2 of that achievable in
prior art devices. Furthermore, triple-junction **solar cells**
incorporating a shallow n-p germanium junction of the
present invention can attain 1 sun AM0 efficiencies in excess of
26%.
- IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of germanium junctions
in multijunction **solar cells**)
- RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-00

INCL 136255000

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 47, 76

ST **solar cell** germanium multijunction efficiency
optimization

IT **Solar cells**
(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of germanium junctions
in multijunction **solar cells**)

IT Vapor deposition process
(metalorg.; app. and method for optimizing efficiency of
germanium junctions in multijunction **solar
cells**)

IT Diffusion
(solid-state; app. and method for optimizing efficiency of
germanium junctions in multijunction **solar
cells**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(app. and method for optimizing efficiency of germanium junctions
in multijunction **solar cells**)

IT 7440-38-2, Arsenic, uses 7723-14-0, Phosphorus, uses
(dopant; app. and method for optimizing efficiency of germanium
junctions in multijunction **solar cells**)

L24 ANSWER 11 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

135:333311 III-V space **solar cells** on Si substrates
using graded GeSi buffers. Ringel, S. A.; Carlin, J. A.; Leitz, C.
W.; Currie, M.; Langdo, T.; Fitzgerald, E. A.; Bulsara, M.; Wilt, D.
M.; Clark, E. V. (Dep. Electrical Eng., The Ohio State Univ.,
Columbus, OH, USA). European Photovoltaic Solar Energy Conference,
Proceedings of the International Conference, 16th, Glasgow, United
Kingdom, May 1-5, 2000, Volume 1, 939-944. Editor(s): Scheer,
Hermann. James & James (Science Publishers) Ltd.: London, UK.
(English) 2000. CODEN: 69BOEK.

AB Single junction AlGaAs/GaAs and **InGaP/GaAs solar
cells** and test structures have been grown by mol. beam
epitaxy (MBE) and metal-org. chem. vapor deposition (MOCVD), resp.,
on Si wafers coated with compositionally-graded GeSi buffers. The
combination of controlled strain relaxation within the GeSi buffer

and monolayer-scale control of the III-V layer nucleation step is shown to reproducibly generate minority carrier lifetimes exceeding 10 ns within GaAs overlayers. The III-V layers are free of long-range antiphase domain disorder, with threading dislocation densities in the high 10^5 cm⁻² range, consistent with the low residual dislocation d. in the Ge cap of the graded buffer structure. Single junction Ga/As cells grown by both MBE and MOCVD on the **Ge/GeSi/Si substrates** demonstrated record-high Voc values for GaAs cells grown on Si. Voc values for MOCVD-grown single junction **InGaP/GaAs** cells exceeded 970 mV (AM0) with fill factors of 0.79 prior to anti-reflection coating. Cell efficiencies are conservatively projected to be in excess of 18.5% under AM0 conditions once cell processing (ARC) is completed. Such cell performance demonstrates the potential and viability of graded GeSi buffers for the development of III-V cells on Si wafers.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (III-V space **solar cells** on Si substrates
 with graded GeSi buffers)
 RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST silicon **solar cells** germanium silicide buffer
 IT **Solar cells**
 Space vehicles

(III-V space **solar cells** on Si substrates
 with graded GeSi buffers)
 IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, processes 7440-21-3, Silicon,
 processes 11148-21-3 37382-15-3, Aluminum gallium arsenide
 ((Al,Ga)As) 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (III-V space **solar cells** on Si substrates
 with graded GeSi buffers)

L24 ANSWER 12 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 135:197918 High-efficiency InGaAs-on-GaAs devices for monolithic
 multijunction **solar cell**. Hoffman, Richard W.,
 Jr.; Fatemi, Navid S.; Stan, Mark A.; Jenkins, Phillip; Weizer,
 Victor G.; Scheiman, David A.; Brinker, David J. (Essential
 Research, Inc., Cleveland, OH, 44122, USA). European Commission,
 [Report] EUR, EUR 18656, 2nd World Conference on Photovoltaic Solar
 Energy Conversion, 1998, Volume III, 3604-3608 (English) 1998.
 CODEN: CECED9. ISSN: 1018-5593.

AB The demand for high-efficiency space **solar cells** increased significantly largely due to the expansion of the global com. communications satellite market. Power systems will continue to use high-efficiency cells, which can provide cost benefits to spacecraft when the total power system is considered. The traditional approach to high-efficiency, multijunction **solar cells** is to optimize the lattice match condition of all layers to the available **substrate**, typically **Ge**, and therefore compromise the band-gap combination for optimal performance. The reported approach was to emphasize the matching of optimal band-gap combinations and effectively accommodate the growth of the matched cell layers to a mismatched substrate. World record AM0 1-sun efficiencies were demonstrated using InGaAs cells, having a band-gap of 1.0-1.2 eV, grown on GaAs substrates. A lattice mismatch of .1toeq.2.3% was effectively accommodated between the GaAs substrate and the active InGaAs cell. The level of performance required for a bottom cell in a 28-30% **InGaP/InGaAs** dual junction cell was demonstrated. The InGaAs cell having optimal band gap for use in 30-35% efficient triple- and quad-junction cells also was demonstrated.

IT **106312-00-9P**, Gallium indium phosphide
(high-efficiency indium gallium arsenide-on-gallium arsenide devices for monolithic multijunction **solar cell**)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST indium gallium arsenide multijunction **solar cell**
; phosphide indium gallium multijunction **solar cell**

IT **Solar cells**
(high-efficiency indium gallium arsenide-on-gallium arsenide devices for monolithic multijunction space)

IT 1303-00-0P, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 106070-25-1P, Gallium indium arsenide **106312-00-9P**, Gallium indium phosphide
(high-efficiency indium gallium arsenide-on-gallium arsenide devices for monolithic multijunction **solar cell**)

L24 ANSWER 13 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
135:183160 Multi-quantum well tandem **solar cells**

with efficiencies exceeding 30% AM0. Freundlich, A.; Serdiukova, I. (Space Vacuum Epitaxy Center, University of Houston, Houston, TX, 772014-5507, USA). European Commission, [Report] EUR, EUR 18656, 2nd World Conference on Photovoltaic Solar Energy Conversion, 1998, Volume III, 3707-3710 (English) 1998. CODEN: CECED9. ISSN: 1018-5593.

AB In this work a new two-terminal tandem **solar cell** concept is proposed. It is shown that the insertion of thin (few nm thick) narrow band-gap InGaAs quantum wells in the intrinsic i-region of the conventional p-i-n GaAs **solar cell** extends the photo-absorption of the conventional **GaInP**/GaAs tandem cell toward the IR. The approach provides a near-ideal spectral matching between top and bottom cells, while maintaining the entire structure lattice-matched to commonly used GaAs/**Ge substrates**. Calcns. indicate that the current output resulting from the conversion of available below In_{0.5}Ga_{0.5}P band gap photons can be substantially increased by increasing the no. of wells in the intrinsic region leading to 1 sun air-mass 0 (AM0) efficiencies exceeding 31%.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂)
(design of multi-quantum well gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide tandem **solar cells** with efficiencies exceeding 30% air-mass 0)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST quantum well tandem **solar cell** design; indium
gallium arsenide quantum well tandem **solar cell**;
gallium indium phosphide tandem **solar cell**
quantum well

IT Quantum well devices
Tandem **solar cells**

(design of multi-quantum well gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide tandem **solar cells** with efficiencies exceeding 30% air-mass 0)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium
indium phosphide (GaInP₂)

(design of multi-quantum well gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide tandem **solar cells** with efficiencies exceeding 30% air-mass 0)

IT 107498-92-0, Gallium indium arsenide (Ga_{0.8}In_{0.2}As) 107498-93-1,

Gallium indium arsenide ($\text{Ga}_{0.9}\text{In}_{0.1}\text{As}$)

(quantum wells; design of multi-quantum well gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide tandem **solar cells** with efficiencies exceeding 30% air-mass 0)

L24 ANSWER 14 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

135:124856 High efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells**

with high Voc using graded GeSi buffers. Carlin, J. A.; Hudait, M. K.; Ringel, S. A.; Wilt, D. M.; Clark, E. B.; Leitz, C. W.; Currie, M.; Langdo, T.; Fitzgerald, E. A. (Department of Electrical Engineering, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 28th, 1006-1011 (English) 2000. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB Single junction AlGaAs/GaAs and **InGaP/GaAs solar cells** and test structures have been grown by mol. beam epitaxy (MBE) and metalorg. chem. vapor deposition (MOCVD), resp., on Si wafers coated with compositionally-graded GeSi buffers. The combination of controlled strain relaxation within the GeSi buffer and monolayer-scale control of the Group III-V layer nucleation is shown to reproducibly generate minority carrier lifetimes exceeding 10 ns within GaAs overlayers. The III-V layers are free of long-range antiphase domain disorder, with threading dislocation densities in the high- 10^5 cm^{-2} range, consistent with the low residual dislocation d. in the Ge cap of the graded buffer structure. Single junction GaAs cells grown by both MBE and MOCVD on the **Ge/GeSi/Si substrates** demonstrated high Voc values for GaAs cells grown on Si. Record Voc values for MOCVD-grown single junction **InGaP/GaAs** cells exceeded 980 mV (AMO) with fill factors of 0.79. Addnl., external quantum efficiency data indicates no degrdn. in carrier collection from GaAs homoepitaxial cells for current single-junction cell designs grown by MBE. Based on these results, cell efficiencies in excess of 18.5% under AMO conditions should be attainable with cell designs demonstrating state of the art Jsc values. Such cell performance demonstrates the potential and viability of graded GeSi buffers for the development of III-V cells on Si wafers.

IT **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium phosphide

(high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST gallium arsenide silicon **solar cell**
IT Molecular beam epitaxy

Solar cells

(high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with
high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

IT Vapor deposition process
(metalorg.; high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

IT Electric current carriers
(minority; high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 37382-15-3, Aluminum gallium arsenide 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

IT 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 11148-21-3
(high efficiency GaAs-on-Si **solar cells** with high open-circuit voltage using graded GeSi buffers)

L24 ANSWER 15 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

135:124850 Metamorphic **GaInP/GaInAs/Ge solar cells**. King, R. R.; Haddad, M.; Isshiki, T.; Colter, P.; Ermer, J.; Yoon, H.; Joslin, D. E.; Karam, N. H. (Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 28th, 982-985 (English) 2000. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB High-efficiency, metamorphic multijunction cells have been fabricated by growing **GaInP/GaInAs** subcells that are lattice-mismatched to an active **Ge substrate**, resulting in **GaInP/GaInAs/Ge** 3-junction (3J) cells. The efficiency dependence of this 3J cell on lattice-const. of the top two cells and on sublattice ordering in the **GaInP** top cell is presented. A variety of compn.-graded buffers have been explored through X-ray diffraction reciprocal space mapping to measure strain in the cell layers, and transmission electron microscopy to minimize misfit and threading dislocations. Quantum efficiency is measured for metamorphic 1.3-eV Ga_{0.92}In_{0.08}As cells and 1.75-eV Ga_{0.43}In_{0.57}P cells grown on a **Ge substrate**, as well as for the 3J cell based on 4%-In GaInAs. Three-junction Ga_{0.43}In_{0.57}P/Ga_{0.92}In_{0.08}As/Ge cells with 0.50% lattice-mismatch to the **Ge substrate** are measured to have AMO efficiency of 27.3% (0.1353 W/cm², 28.degree.), similar to high-efficiency, conventional **GaInP/GaAs/Ge** 3-junction cells based on the GaAs lattice const.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide **gainp**
 122162-61-2, Gallium indium phosphide Ga0.43In0.57P
 (metamorphic **GaInP**/GaInAs/Ge **solar**
cells)
 RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

RN 122162-61-2 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.43In0.57P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.57	7440-74-6
Ga	0.43	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST **solar cell** metamorphic multijunction; gallium
 indium phosphide germanium **solar cell**
 IT **Solar cells**

(metamorphic **GaInP**/GaInAs/Ge **solar**
cells)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 106070-25-1, Gallium indium arsenide
 gainas 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide **gainp**
 107404-63-7, Gallium indium arsenide Ga0.92In0.08As
 122162-61-2, Gallium indium phosphide Ga0.43In0.57P
 (metamorphic **GaInP**/GaInAs/Ge **solar**
cells)

L24 ANSWER 16 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 135:124849 High efficiency **InGaP**/InGaAs tandem **solar**
cells on **Ge substrates**. Takamoto,
 Tatsuya; Agui, Takaaki; Ikeda, Eiji; Kurita, Hiroshi (Japan Energy
 Corporation, Toda, 335, Japan). Conference Record of the IEEE
 Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 28th, 976-981 (English) 2000.
 CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical
 and Electronics Engineers.
 AB Over 30% AM1.5G efficiency was achieved by adding a small quantity
 of indium into a GaAs bottom cell in the conventional tandem cell on
 a **Ge substrate**. Characteristics of InGaAs cells
 on Ge were investigated by varying In-compn. The max. efficiency

was obtained for the cell with 0.01 In-compn., which was lattice-matched to Ge and produced no misfit-dislocations. Relatively high efficiencies were obtained for the cells with In-compns. less than 0.1, which did not produce cracks but misfit-dislocations. **InGaP/InxGa1-xAs** tandem cells with In-compn. x between 0.01 and 0.07 demonstrated higher efficiency than the conventional **InGaP/GaAs** cells, that was attributed to an increase in photo-currents both in the top and bottom cells. Remarkably, an **In0.49Ga0.51P/In0.01Ga0.99As** tandem cell lattice-matched to Ge showed an improvement in Voc, which was attributed to an elimination of misfit-dislocations in thick GaAs layers. Also, those **InGaP/InxGa1-xAs** cells with low In-compns. were found to be favorable for improving efficiency of triple junction cells using Ge cells. Over 31% AM1.5G efficiency was demonstrated for the **InGaP/InxGa1-xAs/Ge** triple-junction cells with In-compn. x of 0.01 and 0.06, at present.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide **gainp**
 106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide **Ga0.51In0.49P**
 (high efficiency **InGaP/InGaAs** tandem **solar**
cells on Ge substrates)
 RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

RN 106770-37-0 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.51In0.49P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST **solar cell** gallium indium phosphide
germanium substrate
 IT Tandem **solar cells**
 (high efficiency **InGaP/InGaAs** tandem **solar**
cells on Ge substrates)
 IT 106070-25-1, Gallium indium arsenide **gainas** 106312-00-9,
 Gallium indium phosphide **gainp** 106495-91-4, Gallium
 indium arsenide **Ga0.99In0.01As** 106770-37-0, Gallium indium

- phosphide $\text{Ga}_{0.51}\text{In}_{0.49}\text{P}$ 111242-86-5, Gallium indium arsenide $\text{Ga}_{0.94}\text{In}_{0.06}\text{As}$
 (high efficiency **InGaP/InGaAs tandem solar cells on Ge substrates**)
- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 (high efficiency **InGaP/InGaAs tandem solar cells on Ge substrates**)
- L24 ANSWER 17 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 134:88730 High-efficiency **InGaP/In_{0.01}Ga_{0.99}As tandem solar cells** lattice-matched to **Ge substrates**. Takamoto, T.; Agui, T.; Ikeda, E.; Kurita, H. (Central R&D Laboratory, Japan Energy Corporation, Saitama, Toda-shi, Niizo-Minami, 335-8502, Japan). Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells, 66(1-4), 511-516 (English) 2001. CODEN: SEMCEQ. ISSN: 0927-0248. Publisher: Elsevier Science B.V..
- AB Conversion efficiency (air-mass 1.5G) of >30% was achieved by adding a small quantity of indium into a GaAs bottom cell in the conventional tandem **solar cell on Ge substrate**. It was found that the lattice mismatch between GaAs and Ge caused misfit dislocations in thick GaAs layers and reduced the open-circuit voltage of the cell. $\text{In}_{0.49}\text{Ga}_{0.51}\text{P/In}_{0.01}\text{Ga}_{0.99}\text{As}$ tandem cell lattice-matched to Ge showed a great improvement in efficiency, which was attributed to an increase in the open-circuit voltage of the bottom cell and increases in the photocurrents both in the top and bottom cells due to redns. in band-gap energy.
- IT **106770-37-0**, Gallium indium phosphide ($\text{Ga}_{0.51}\text{In}_{0.49}\text{P}$)
 (high-efficiency gallium indium phosphide/gallium indium arsenide tandem **solar cells** lattice-matched to **germanium substrates**)
- RN 106770-37-0 HCA
- CN Gallium indium phosphide ($\text{Ga}_{0.51}\text{In}_{0.49}\text{P}$) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

- CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
- ST indium gallium phosphide tandem **solar cell**;
 gallium indium arsenide tandem **solar cell**;
germanium substrate tandem solar cell
- IT Tandem **solar cells**
 (high-efficiency gallium indium phosphide/gallium indium arsenide tandem **solar cells** lattice-matched to

germanium substrates)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 106495-91-4, Gallium indium arsenide
(Ga_{0.99}In_{0.01}As) 106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide
(Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P)
(high-efficiency gallium indium phosphide/gallium indium arsenide
tandem **solar cells** lattice-matched to
germanium substrates)

L24 ANSWER 18 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

130:354702 Lattice tilt and relaxation in **InGaP**/GaAs/Ge

solar cells on miscut substrates. Hess, R. R.;

Moore, C. D.; Goorsky, M. S. (UCLA, Department of Materials Science
and Engineering, Los Angeles, CA, 90095, USA). Journal of Physics
D: Applied Physics, 32(10A), A16-A20 (English) 1999. CODEN: JPAPBE.
ISSN: 0022-3727. Publisher: Institute of Physics Publishing.

AB Strain relaxation and epitaxial layer tilt has been investigated for
group III-V based tandem **solar cells** grown on
miscut **Ge substrates**. AlGaAs/**InGaP**
/GaAs layers were grown by metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy on
substrates miscut by 9.degree. along a low crystallog. symmetry
direction. We observe the GaAs buffer layer grown on the substrate
to be 86% relaxed. The GaAs layer is tilted by 60 arcsec from the
substrate, as detd. by triple axis x-ray diffraction. This tilt
stems from the miscut, the polar/non-polar interface, and from the
miscut direction lying away from a high symmetry direction. The
obsd. magnitude of the tilt is not predicted well by existing
models. Subsequently grown Al_{0.8}Ga_{0.2}As and In_{0.5}Ga_{0.5}P device
layers are pseudomorphic with respect to the GaAs buffer layer, and
exhibit the expected layer tilting of 58 and 125 arcsec, resp., with
respect to the **Ge substrate**. There is no
rotation of the epitaxial layers with respect to the GaAs buffer
layer.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(lattice tilt and relaxation in aluminum gallium arsenide/gallium
indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells**
on **germanium** miscut **substrates**)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST indium gallium phosphide **solar cell**
germanium miscut **substrate**; gallium arsenide

solar cell miscut substrate; aluminum gallium
arsenide solar cell miscut substrate

IT **Tandem solar cells**
 (lattice tilt and relaxation in aluminum gallium arsenide/gallium
 indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells**
 on **germanium** miscut **substrates**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
 106312-10-1, Aluminum gallium arsenide (Al_{0.8}Ga_{0.2}As)
 (lattice tilt and relaxation in aluminum gallium arsenide/gallium
 indium phosphide/gallium arsenide **solar cells**
 on **germanium** miscut **substrates**)

L24 ANSWER 19 OF 19 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 127:164350 Production experience with large area, dual junction space
 cells. Yeh, Y. C. M.; Chu, C. L.; Krogen, J.; Ho, F. F.; Datum, G.
 C.; Billets, S.; Olson, J. M.; Timmons, M. L. (TECSTAR INC., Applied
 Solar Division, City of Industry, CA, 91745-1002, USA). Conference
 Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 25th,
 187-190 (English) 1996. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371.
 Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB Dual junction (DJ) space cells, comprising **GaInP/GaAs**
 cells grown on **Ge substrates**, are now in prodn.
 A conservative DJ cell design (efficiency around 22% AMO) was
 specified. The paper surveys the development phase, and the prodn.
 scale-up. Details of current DJ cell performance are included.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (prodn. experience with large area, dual junction space cells)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST gallium indium phosphide **solar cell** spacecraft
 IT **Solar cells**
 Space vehicles
 (prodn. experience with large area, dual junction space cells)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide.
 (prodn. experience with large area, dual junction space cells)

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140:360374 Method and apparatus of multiple-junction **solar cell** structure with high band gap heterojunction middle cell. Fatemi, Navid; Aiken, Daniel J.; Stan, Mark A. (USA). U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ. US 2004084694 A1 20040506, 12 pp. (English). CODEN: USXXCO. APPLICATION: US 2002-285780 20021031.

AB A method and a multijunction solar device having a high band gap heterojunction middle **solar cell** are disclosed. In one embodiment, a triple-junction solar device includes bottom, middle, and top cells. The bottom cell has a **germanium** (**Ge**) **substrate** and a buffer layer, wherein the buffer layer is disposed over the **Ge substrate**. The middle cell contains a heterojunction structure, which further includes an emitter layer and a base layer that are disposed over the bottom cell. The top cell contains an emitter layer and a base layer disposed over the middle cell.

IT **7440-56-4**, Germanium, uses **106312-00-9**, Indium gallium phosphide (method and app. of multiple-junction **solar cell** structure with high band gap heterojunction middle cell)

RN **7440-56-4** HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN **106312-00-9** HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-0336

INCL 257200000

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST multiple junction **solar cell** structure high band gap heterojunction

IT Heterojunction **solar cells**

Semiconductor junctions

Tunnel junctions

(method and app. of multiple-junction **solar cell** structure with high band gap heterojunction middle

- cell)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 37382-15-3, Aluminum gallium arsenide 106070-25-1, Indium gallium arsenide 106312-00-9, Indium gallium phosphide (method and app. of multiple-junction **solar cell** structure with high band gap heterojunction middle cell)
- L25 ANSWER 2 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
- 140:137167 Growth and characterization of high-Ge content Si-Ge virtual **substrates**. Erdtmann, M.; Carroll, M.; Carlin, J.; Langdo, T. A.; Westhoff, R.; Leitz, C.; Yang, V.; Currie, M. T.; Lochtefeld, A.; Petrocelli, K.; Vineis, C. J.; Badawi, H.; Bulsara, M. T.; Ringel, S.; Andre, C. L.; Khan, A.; Hudait, M. K. (AmberWave Systems Corp., Salem, NH, 03079, USA). Proceedings - Electrochemical Society, 2003-11(State-of-theArt Program on Compound Semiconductors XXXIX and Nitride and Wide Bandgap Semiconductors for Sensors, Photonics, and Electronics IV), 106-117 (English) 2003. CODEN: PESODO. ISSN: 0161-6374. Publisher: Electrochemical Society.
- AB Si1-xGex virtual substrates with relaxed graded buffers grown in industrial LPCVD reactors on 150 mm and 200 mm diam. wafers are presented with compns. up to x = 1. By taking advantage of an intermediate planarization step, the authors are able to achieve dislocation glide limited relaxation throughout the growth of the entire graded buffer layer. This resulted in a threading dislocation d. of 2 .times. 10⁵ cm⁻² that was independent of the ultimate compn. for substrates with x > 0.4. Ge-on-Si virtual substrates exhibited an root-mean-square surface roughness of 3.27 nm for a 20 .mu.m .times. 20 .mu.m area and a very low d. of epitaxial defects. These substrates were used to fabricate both III-V **solar cells** and visible LEDs. The preliminary results of the devices showed no degrdn. in device performance from the graded buffer layer, demonstrating the com. readiness of the Si-Ge virtual **substrates**.
- IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0-1In0-1P) (growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium**-silicon virtual **substrates**)
- RN 106312-00-9 HCA
- CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 76-3 (Electric Phenomena)

- Section cross-reference(s): 48, 52, 73
- ST germanium silicon buffer VPE solar cell LED fabrication
- IT Polishing
(chem.-mech.; growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)
- IT Diffusion barrier
Electric current-potential relationship
Electroluminescent devices
Semiconductor device fabrication
Solar cells
Stress relaxation
Surface roughness
Threading dislocations
Vapor phase epitaxy
(growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)
- IT 7782-65-2, Germane 7803-51-2, Phosphorus trihydride 7803-62-5, Silane, processes 19287-45-7, Diborane
(growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, processes 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0-1In0-1P) 107102-89-6, Aluminum gallium indium phosphide (Al0-1Ga0-1In0-1P)
(growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)
- IT 12623-02-8P, Germanium 50, silicon 50 (atomic) 12623-04-0P, Germanium 30, silicon 70 (atomic) 12675-06-8P, Germanium 60, silicon 40 (atomic) 37380-03-3P, Germanium 20, silicon 80 (atomic) 51845-19-3P, Germanium 90, silicon 10 (atomic) 72048-89-6P, Germanium 80, silicon 20 (atomic) 76998-02-2P, Germanium 40, silicon 60 (atomic) 112542-45-7P, Germanium 0-40, silicon 60-100 (atomic)
(growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)
- IT 7440-21-3, Silicon, processes
(growth and characterization of high-germanium content **germanium-silicon virtual substrates**)

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139:182758 Impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**
. Andre, C. L.; Khan, A.; Gonzalez, M.; Hudait, M. K.; Fitzgerald, E. A.; Carlin, J. A.; Currie, M. T.; Leitz, C. W.; Langdo, T. A.; Clark, E. B.; Wilt, D. M.; Ringel, S. A. (Department of Electrical Engineering, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 43210, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 29th, 1043-1046 (English) 2002. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB Single junction GaAs **solar cells** having an n/p polarity were grown on p-type **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates** for the first time. The cell performance and material properties of these n/p cells were compared with p/n cells grown on n-type **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates** for which record high minority carrier hole lifetimes of 10 ns and open circuit voltages (Voc) greater than 980 mV (AM0) were achieved. The initial n/p exptl. results and correlations with theor. predictions have indicated that for comparable threading dislocation densities (TDD), n/p cells have longer minority carrier diffusion lengths, but reduced minority carrier lifetimes for electrons in the p-type GaAs base layers. This suggests that a lower TDD tolerance exists for n/p cells compared to p/n cells, which has implications for the optimization of n/p high efficiency cell designs using alternative substrates.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(dopants; impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST gallium arsenide **solar cell** fabrication
threading dislocation

IT Vapor deposition process
(chem.; impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

IT Molecular beam epitaxy
Solar cells

Threading dislocations

(impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

IT Vapor deposition process

(metalorg.; impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

IT Electric current carriers

(minority; impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses

(dopants; impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses

11148-21-3 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide

(Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P) 106070-09-1, Aluminum gallium arsenide

(Al_{0.3}Ga_{0.7}As) 106312-09-8, Aluminum gallium arsenide

(Al_{0.2}Ga_{0.8}As)

(impact of threading dislocations on both n/p and p/n single junction GaAs cells grown on **Ge/SiGe/Si substrates**)

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139:166849 Wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for 4-junction high efficiency **solar cells**. Zahler, James M.;

Fontcuberta i Morral, Anna; Ahn, Chang-Geun; Atwater, Harry A.;

Wanlass, Mark W.; Chu, Charles; Iles, Peter A. (Thomas J. Watson

Laboratory of Applied Physics, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE

Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 29th, 1039-1042 (English) 2002.

CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB A four-junction cell design consisting of InGaAs, InGaAsP, GaAs, and

Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P subcells could reach 1.times.AM0 efficiencies of 35.4%, but relies on the integration of non-lattice-matched materials.

Wafer bonding and layer transfer processes show promise in the fabrication of InP/Si epitaxial templates for growth of the bottom

InGaAs and InGaAsP subcells on a Si support substrate. Subsequent wafer bonding and layer transfer of a thin Ge layer onto the lower

subcell stack can serve as an epitaxial template for GaAs and

Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P subcells. Present results indicate that optically

active III/V compd. semiconductors can be grown on both Ge/Si and

InP/Si heterostructures. Current-voltage elec. characterization of

the interfaces of these structures indicates that both InP/Si and

Ge/Si interfaces have specific resistances lower than 0.1 .OMEGA.cm²

for heavily doped wafer bonded interfaces, enabling back surface

power extn. from the finished cell structure.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for 4-junction high
efficiency **solar cells**)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
(wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for
4-junction high efficiency **solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** heterostructure wafer bonding layer
transfer

IT Epitaxy
Interface
Interfacial structure
Ion implantation

Solar cells

(wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for 4-junction high
efficiency **solar cells**)

IT 12586-59-3, Proton 14234-48-1, processes
(implantation; wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for
4-junction high efficiency **solar cells**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 12645-36-2, Gallium indium
arsenide phosphide ((Ga,In)(As,P)) 12776-63-5, Gallium
indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P) 106070-25-1, Gallium indium
arsenide (GaInAs)

(wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for 4-junction high
efficiency **solar cells**)

IT 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses 7440-56-4, **Germanium**,
uses 22398-80-7, Indium phosphide, uses
(wafer bonding and layer transfer processes for
4-junction high efficiency **solar cells**)

139:119991 Apparatus and method for integral bypass diode in
solar cells. Sharps, Paul R.; Aiken, Daniel J.;
 Collins, Doug; Stan, Mark A. (Emcore Corporation, USA). U.S. Pat.
 Appl. Publ. US 2003140962 A1 20030731, 23 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S.
 Ser. No. 999,598. (English). CODEN: USXXCO. APPLICATION: US
 2002-280593 20021024. PRIORITY: US 2001-999598 20011024.

AB A **solar cell** having a multijunction
solar cell structure with a bypass diode is
 disclosed. The bypass diode provides a reverse bias protection for
 the multijunction **solar cell** structure. In one
 embodiment, the multifunction **solar cell**
 structure includes a substrate, a bottom cell, a middle cell, a top
 cell, a bypass diode, a lateral conduction layer, and a shunt. The
 lateral conduction layer is deposited over the top cell. The bypass
 diode is deposited over the lateral conduction layer. One side of
 the shunt is connected to the substrate and another side of the
 shunt is connected to the lateral conduction layer. In another
 embodiment, the bypass diode contains an i-layer to enhance the
 diode performance.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide gainp2
 (app. and method for integral bypass diode in **solar**
cells)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
 (**substrate**; app. and method for integral bypass diode
 in **solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L031-00

INCL 136249000; 136255000; 438074000

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** integral bypass diode

IT **Solar cells**

Tandem **solar cells**

(app. and method for integral bypass diode in **solar**

- cells)**
- IT Diodes
(integral bypass; app. and method for integral bypass diode in **solar cells**)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 12774-46-8, Aluminum indium phosphide (Al_{0.5}In_{0.5}P) 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide gainp2 107102-89-6, Aluminum gallium indium phosphide Algainp
(app. and method for integral bypass diode in **solar cells**)
- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(**substrate**; app. and method for integral bypass diode in **solar cells**)
- L25 ANSWER 6 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
139:29078 Enabling technologies for making GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates.
Mauk, M. G.; Balliet, J.; Feyock, B. W. (AstroPower, Inc., Newark, DE, 19716-2000, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 29th, 1062-1065 (English) 2002. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.
- AB Large-grain size (>1 mm), highly-oriented, thin (0.5 to 5 .mu.m) films of Ge were created on fused SiO₂, sintered Al₂O₃ ceramic, and low-cost polysilicon sheet substrates. A H₂O-vapor mediated, close-spaced vapor transport process was used to deposit Ge, followed by a recrystn. step. An alternative chem. vapor transport process using I vapor was also developed for low-cost deposition and epitaxy of Ge and GaAs. Ge films with a highly oriented texture and with the lateral dimension of grains >1 mm were obtained on the three substrates. These structures are intended for use as **Ge** (coated) surrogate **substrates** for epitaxial growth of high-performance GaAs/InGaP **solar cells**.
- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
(enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates coated with)
- RN 7440-56-4 HCA
CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)
- Ge
- CC 76-3 (Electric Phenomena)
Section cross-reference(s): 52
- ST alumina silica polysilicon **substrate germanium**
coating **solar cell**
- IT **Solar cells**

(enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates)

- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
(enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates coated with)
- IT 7631-86-9, Silica, uses
(fused, substrate; enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates)
- IT 1344-28-1, Alumina, uses
(sintered, substrate; enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates)
- IT 7440-21-3, Polysilicon, uses
(substrate; enabling technol. for fabrication of GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells** on ceramic and polysilicon substrates)

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138:140083 Method and apparatus of **solar cell** having a bypass diode for reverse bias protection. Chu, Chaw-Long (Emcore Corporation, USA). PCT Int. Appl. WO 2003012880 A2 20030213, 38 pp. DESIGNATED STATES: W: AE, AG, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BY, BZ, CA, CH, CN, CO, CR, CU, CZ, DE, DK, DM, DZ, EC, EE, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MA, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, MZ, NO, NZ, OM, PH, PL, PT, RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, SL, TJ, TM, TN, TR, TT, TZ, UA, UG, US, UZ, VN, YU, ZA, ZM, ZW; RW: AT, BE, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CH, CI, CM, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GA, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, ML, MR, NE, NL, PT, SE, SN, TD, TG, TR. (English). CODEN: PIXXD2. APPLICATION: WO 2002-US23978 20020726. PRIORITY: US 2001-PV305503 20010727.

AB Reverse bias protection for a **solar cell** is provided with a diode on the **solar cell**. In one embodiment, the Schottky diode is formed at the interface between a metallic diode contact and a semiconductor substrate on which the **solar cell** is grown. The **solar cell** includes a **Ge substrate**, which may further include a photoactive junction. In one embodiment, the Schottky diode is provided in a trough or recess extending through the **solar cell** layers to the front surface of the substrate. In this embodiment, the Schottky diode is elec. connected across some or all of the **cells** of the **solar cell** structure with a jumper bar or other suitable interconnect. In another embodiment, the Schottky diode is provided on a back surface of the substrate, with a C-clamp interconnecting at least one **solar cell** contact

to the diode contact.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (method and app. of **solar cell** having bypass
 diode for reverse bias protection)
 RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
 (substrate; method and app. of **solar**
cell having bypass diode for reverse bias protection)
 RN 7440-56-4 HCA
 CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L031-068
 ICS H01L031-18; H01L027-142
 CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76
 ST **solar cell** bypass diode reverse bias protection
 IT Diodes
 (bypass; method and app. of **solar cell** having
 bypass diode for reverse bias protection)
 IT Electric contacts
 Schottky diodes
Solar cells
 Tandem **solar cells**
 (method and app. of **solar cell** having bypass
 diode for reverse bias protection)
 IT 7440-38-2, Arsenic, uses
 (dopant; method and app. of **solar cell** having
 bypass diode for reverse bias protection)
 IT 7440-05-3, Palladium, uses 7440-22-4, Silver, uses 7440-32-6,
 Titanium, uses
 (elec. contact; method and app. of **solar cell**
 having bypass diode for reverse bias protection)
 IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 37382-15-3, Aluminum
 gallium arsenide 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 107121-39-1, Aluminum indium phosphide
 (method and app. of **solar cell** having bypass
 diode for reverse bias protection)

- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(**substrate**; method and app. of **solar cell** having bypass diode for reverse bias protection)
- L25 ANSWER 8 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
138:109550 Development of low-cost substrates and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**. Mauk, M.; Balliet, J.; Feyock, B. (AstroPower, Inc., Newark, DE, 19711, USA). Proceedings - NCPV Program Review Meeting, Lakewood, CO, United States, Oct. 14-17, 2001, 271-272. National Technical Information Service: Springfield, Va. (English) 2001. CODEN: 69DAU4.
- AB We present results for the first phase of an effort to develop large-grain (>1-mm), highly-oriented, 5-.mu. thick Ge films on fused silica and alumina ceramics. We use a water-vapor mediated, close-spaced vapor transport (CSVt) process to deposit Ge, followed by a recrystn. step. These structures are intended for use as Ge (coated) surrogate **substrates** for epitaxial growth of high-performance GaAs/InGaP **solar cells**.
- IT 7440-56-4P, Germanium, uses
(metalorg. deposition of; development of low-cost Ge -coated **substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- RN 7440-56-4 HCA
CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)
- Ge
- CC 52-3 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76
- ST germanium film metalorg vapor deposition **solar cell** substrate; alumina **substrate solar cell** germanium chem vapor deposition; silica **substrate solar cell germanium** chem vapor deposition
- IT **Solar cells**
(development of low-cost Ge-coated **substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT Vapor deposition process
(metalorg.; development of low-cost Ge-coated **substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT Recrystallization
(of germanium film; development of low-cost Ge-coated **substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance

- GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT Grain size
(of germanium films; development of low-cost **Ge-coated substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT Ceramics
(**solar-cell** substrates; development of low-cost **Ge-coated substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT 1344-28-1, Alumina, uses 60676-86-0, Fused silica
(ceramic substrates; development of low-cost **Ge-coated substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- IT 7440-56-4P, Germanium, uses
(metalorg. deposition of; development of low-cost **Ge-coated substrates** and deposition processes for high-performance GaAs-based thin-film **solar cells**)
- L25 ANSWER 9 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
138:92636 III-V compound multi-junction **solar cells**:
present and future. Yamaguchi, Masafumi (Toyota Technological Institute, Tempaku, Nagoya, 468-8511, Japan). Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells, 75(1-2), 261-269 (English) 2003. CODEN: SEMCEQ. ISSN: 0927-0248. Publisher: Elsevier Science B.V..
- AB A review of present status of research and development of super-high-efficiency multi-junction **solar cells** in Japan. The **InGaP/InGaAs/Ge** monolithic cascade three-junction **solar cells** with newly recorded efficiency of 31.7% at air mass 1.5 (1-sun) were achieved on **Ge substrates**, in addn. to **InGaP/GaAs//InGaAs** mech. stacked three-junction cells with efficiency of 33.3%. Future prospects for realizing super-high-efficiency and low-cost multi-junction **solar cells** are also discussed.
- CC 52-0 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST review group III V compd **solar cell**
IT **Solar cells**
(status of research and development of group III-V compd. multi-junction **solar cells**)
- IT Group IIIA element pnictides
(status of research and development of group III-V compd. multi-junction **solar cells**)
- L25 ANSWER 10 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
137:8542 Germanium layer transfer to silicon for photovoltaic applications. Zahler, James M.; Ahn, Chang-Geun; Zaghi, Shahrooz; Atwater, Harry A.; Chu, Charles; Iles, Peter (Thomas J. Watson

Laboratory of Applied Physics, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA). Thin Solid Films, 403-404, 558-562 (English) 2002. CODEN: THSFAP. ISSN: 0040-6090. Publisher: Elsevier Science S.A..

AB We have successfully used hydrophobic direct-wafer bonding, along with H-induced layer splitting of Ge, to transfer 700-nm-thick, single-crystal Ge (100) films to Si (100) substrates without using a metallic bonding layer. The metal-free nature of the bond makes the bonded wafers suitable for subsequent epitaxial growth of triple-junction **GaInP/GaAs/Ge solar cell** structures at high temps., without concern about metal contamination of the active region of the device. Contact-mode at. force microscopy images of the transferred **Ge surface** generated by hydrogen-induced layer-splitting reveals root mean square (rms) surface roughness of between 10 and 23 nm. Elec. measurements indicate ohmic I-V characteristics for as-bonded Ge layers bonded to silicon substrates with .apprx.400 .OMEGA. cm-2 resistance at the interface. Triple-junction **solar cell** structures grown on these Ge/Si heterostructure templates by metal-org. chem. vapor deposition show comparable photoluminescence intensity and minority carrier lifetime to a control structure grown on bulk Ge. An epitaxial Ge buffer layer is grown to smooth the cleaved **surface** of the **Ge** heterostructure and reduces the rms surface roughness from .apprx.11 to as low as 1.5 nm, with a mesa-like morphol. that has a top surface roughness of under 1.0 nm, providing a promising surface for improved GaAs growth.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
(germanium layer transfer to silicon for photovoltaic applications)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST **solar cell** germanium layer transfer silicon

IT **Solar cells**

(germanium layer transfer to silicon for photovoltaic applications)

IT 7440-21-3, Silicon, processes 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes

(germanium layer transfer to silicon for photovoltaic applications)

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135:306110 Gas-source molecular beam epitaxy of GaAs on Ge for **solar cell** applications. Laaksonen, S.; Keranen,

J.; Li, W.; Haapamaa, J.; Leinonen, P.; Pessa, M.; Lepisto, T. (Optoelectronics Research Centre, Tampere University of Technology, Tampere, FIN-33101, Finland). European Photovoltaic Solar Energy Conference, Proceedings of the International Conference, 16th, Glasgow, United Kingdom, May 1-5, 2000, Volume 1, 955-958. Editor(s): Scheer, Hermann. James & James (Science Publishers) Ltd.: London, UK. (English) 2000. CODEN: 69BOEK.

AB GaAs layers have been grown by gas source mol. beam epitaxy on **Ge(001) substrates** offcut towards [111] in purpose of achieving device quality material for space **solar cell** applications and prodn. Grown epilayers have been investigated using transmission electron microscopy, at. force microscopy, and x-ray diffraction. Elec. characterization has been performed by growing **GaInP/GaAs** tunneling junction diodes on **Ge substrate**. Earlier work show that to bury the impurities on the **Ge substrate**, a thin **Ge** buffer layer should be used in the prodn. of clean starting surface for growth of antiphase domain free material. In this context, however, we report the result of very highly reproducible device quality GaAs films grown on epi-ready **Ge substrates** without any buffer layer at the interface as a purpose of simplifying the growth procedure and the growth system.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
(gas-source mol. beam epitaxy of GaAs on Ge for **solar cell** applications)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST space **solar cell** gallium arsenide germanium epitaxy

IT Epitaxy
Solar cells
Space vehicles
(gas-source mol. beam epitaxy of GaAs on Ge for **solar cell** applications)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, processes 7440-56-4,
Germanium, processes
(gas-source mol. beam epitaxy of GaAs on Ge for **solar cell** applications)

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135:155146 High-efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge dual and triple junction **solar cells** for space applications. Karam, Nasser H.; Ermer, James H.; King, Richard R.; Haddad, Moran; Cai, Li; Joslin, David E.; Krut, Dimitri D.; Takahashi, Mark; Eldredge, Jack

W.; Nishikawa, Warren; Cavicchi, Bruce T.; Lillington, David R. (Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). European Commission, [Report] EUR, EUR 18656, 2nd World Conference on Photovoltaic Solar Energy Conversion, 1998, Volume III, 3534-3539 (English) 1998. CODEN: CECED9. ISSN: 1018-5593.

- AB This paper addresses the recent progress in the development and current status of high-efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge dual junction and triple junction cells at Spectrolab. Large-area deposition of GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge dual junction and triple junction **solar cell** structures on 100 mm diam. **Ge substrates** by metalorg. vapor phase epitaxy has been developed. We report on the end-of-life efficiency and temp. coeffs. for dual and triple junction cells. The fraction of remaining power (P/P₀) of 0.83 was measured for double junction and triple junction after irradiation with 1 .times. 10¹⁵ 1 MeV electrons/cm². We also report on a record efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge triple junction cell of 25.8% (4 cm² area) and 25.4% (21.65 cm² area) air-mass 0, at 28.degree..
- IT **7440-56-4**, Germanium, uses **12776-63-5**, Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂)
(development and current status of high-efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge dual junction and triple junction **solar cells** for space applications)
- RN 7440-56-4 HCA
- CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

- RN 12776-63-5 HCA
- CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

- CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
- ST indium gallium phosphide multijunction **solar cell** development; gallium arsenide multijunction **solar cell** development; germanium multijunction **solar cell** development
- IT **Solar cells**
(development and current status of high-efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge dual junction and triple junction **solar cells** for space applications)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses **7440-56-4**, Germanium,

uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2)
 (development and current status of high-efficiency GaInP2/GaAs/Ge
 dual junction and triple junction **solar cells**
 for space applications)

L25 ANSWER 13 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

135:124899 GaInP2 and GaAs **solar cells** grown on Si
 substrate. Chu, C. (Tecstar/ASD, City of Industry, CA, 91745-1002,
 USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists
 Conference, 28th, 1250-1252 (English) 2000. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN:
 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics
 Engineers.

AB Large size Si substrates coated with a thin layer of single crystal
 Ge were used to grow GaAs and GaInP2 **solar cells**
 using MOCVD. Preliminary evaluation indicated (1) both GaAs and
 GaInP2 were highly cryst. epi-layers, (2) quantum efficiency of
 GaInP2 cell on Si substrate can reach 94% of high quality GaInP2 on
Ge substrate and that of GaAs cell on Si substrate
 can reach 83.4%, and (3) a 5000 thermal cycle test of temp. range
 from +170.degree.C to -100.degree.C did not damage the **solar**
cell. These results showed that a properly prepd. Ge layer
 on Si can relax strain and grow a high quality GaInP2 and GaAs
solar cell, with a practical efficiency for space
 application.

IT 12776-63-5, gallium indium phosphide gainp2
 (gallium indium phosphide and gallium arsenide **solar**
cells grown on Si substrate)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** gallium indium phosphide silicon
 substrate; gallium arsenide **solar cell** silicon
 substrate

IT Luminescence

Solar cells

(gallium indium phosphide and gallium arsenide **solar**
cells grown on Si substrate)

IT Vapor deposition process

(metalorg.; gallium indium phosphide and gallium arsenide
solar cells grown on Si substrate)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses
12776-63-5, gallium indium phosphide gainp2
(gallium indium phosphide and gallium arsenide **solar**
cells grown on Si substrate)

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135:124876 Radiation response of dual-junction GaIn_{1-y}P/Ga_{1-x}In_xAs
solar cells. Dimroth, F.; Bett, A. W.; Walters,
R. J.; Summers, G. P.; Messenger, S. R.; Takamoto, T.; Ikeda, E.;
Imaizumi, M.; Anzawa, O.; Matsuda, S. (Fraunhofer Institute for
Solar Energy Systems, Freiburg, D-79100, Germany). Conference
Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 28th,
1110-1113 (English) 2000. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371.
Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB The radiation response of dual-junction GaIn_{1-y}P/Ga_{1-x}In_xAs
solar cells grown with 0.35 < y < 0.51 and 0.01 < x
< 0.17 is presented. These lattice-mismatched structures were grown
by metal-org.-vapor-phase-epitaxy on GaAs or **Ge**
substrates. Measurement of the photovoltaic output of the
cells made under simulated one-sun, AM0 spectral conditions shows
that the new dual-junction GaIn_{1-x}P/GaIn_{1-y}As cells perform as
well or better than com. available multijunction cells. Measurement
of the quantum efficiency gives insight into which subcell det. the
total cell degrdn. under proton irradi. As has been found
previously for the GaIn_{1-y}P/GaAs tandem cell, degrdn. of the new
GaIn_{1-y}P/Ga_{1-x}In_xAs material combination is controlled by the
bottom **solar cell**. Anal. of the irradi. data is
used to det. the basic mechanisms governing the radiation response
of these devices, including the effect of stoichiometry,
lattice-mismatch and cell structure.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide 106770-37-0,
Gallium indium phosphide Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P 128089-51-0,
Gallium indium phosphide Ga_{0.35}In_{0.65}P
(radiation response of dual-junction gallium indium
arsenide/gallium indium phosphide **solar cells**
)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

RN 106770-37-0 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

RN 128089-51-0 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.35In0.65P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.65	7440-74-6
Ga	0.35	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, germanium, uses
(radiation response of dual-junction gallium indium
arsenide/gallium indium phosphide **solar cells**
)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** gallium indium phosphide dual
junction

IT Metalorganic vapor phase epitaxy
Solar cells

Tandem **solar cells**

(radiation response of dual-junction gallium indium
arsenide/gallium indium phosphide **solar cells**
)

IT 106070-25-1, Gallium indium arsenide 106312-00-9, Gallium
indium phosphide 106312-09-8, Aluminum gallium arsenide
a10.2ga0.8as 106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide
Ga0.51In0.49P 107404-65-9, Gallium indium arsenide Ga0.97In0.03As
110584-29-7, Gallium indium arsenide Ga0.83In0.17As
128089-51-0, Gallium indium phosphide Ga0.35In0.65P
(radiation response of dual-junction gallium indium
arsenide/gallium indium phosphide **solar cells**
)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, germanium,
uses
(radiation response of dual-junction gallium indium

arsenide/gallium indium phosphide **solar cells**
)

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135:124845 Triple-junction **solar cell** efficiencies

above 32%: The promise and challenges of their application in high-concentration-ratio PV systems. Cotal, H. L.; Lillington, D. R.; Ermer, J. H.; King, R. R.; Karam, N. H.; Kurtz, S. R.; Friedman, D. J.; Olson, J. M.; Ward, J. S.; Duda, A.; Emery, K. A.; Moriarty, T. (Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 28th, 955-960 (English) 2000. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB Results from Spectrolab-grown Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge structures optimized for the AM1.5D spectrum are described along with progress toward developing next-generation multijunction **solar cells** for high concn. ratios (X). The epitaxially-grown layers were processed into triple junction cells both at Spectrolab and NREL, and I-V tested vs. X. Cells were tested with efficiencies as high as 32.4% near 372 suns. The FF limited the performance with increasing X as a result of the increased role of the series resistance. The Voc vs. X showed its log-linear dependence on Isc over 1000 suns. Based on recent cell improvements for space applications, multijunction cells appear to be ideal candidates for high efficiency, cost effective, PV concentrator systems. Future development of new 1-eV materials for space cells, and further redn. in **Ge wafer** costs, promises to achieve cells with efficiencies > 40% that cost \$0.3/W or less at concn. levels between 300 to 500 suns.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 347861-18-1, Gallium indium phosphide Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P
(triple-junction **solar cell** and challenges of their application in high-concn.-ratio PV systems)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 347861-18-1 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.05}In_{0.05}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.05	7440-74-6
Ga	0.05	7440-55-3

- CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76
- ST multijunction concentrator **solar cell** gallium
indium phosphide
- IT **Solar cells**
(concentrator; triple-junction **solar cell** and
challenges of their application in high-concn.-ratio PV systems)
- IT Electric current-potential relationship
Electric resistance
Tandem solar cells
(triple-junction **solar cell** and challenges of
their application in high-concn.-ratio PV systems)
- IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide (GaAs), uses **7440-56-4**,
Germanium, uses **347861-18-1**, Gallium indium phosphide
Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P
(triple-junction **solar cell** and challenges of
their application in high-concn.-ratio PV systems)
- L25 ANSWER 16 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
- 135:35211 Multijunction photovoltaic cell using a silicon or silicon-
germanium substrate. King, Richard R.; Karam,
Nasser H.; Haddad, Moran (The Boeing Company, USA). Eur. Pat. Appl.
EP 1109230 A2 20010620, 25 pp. DESIGNATED STATES: R: AT, BE, CH,
DE, DK, ES, FR, GB, GR, IT, LI, LU, NL, SE, MC, PT, IE, SI, LT, LV,
FI, RO. (English). CODEN: EPXXDW. APPLICATION: EP 2000-126168
20001130. PRIORITY: US 1999-454063 19991202.
- AB A monolithic, multijunction photovoltaic cell is proposed,
comprising: an active substrate subcell comprising one of Si, SiGe
and pure **Ge**, the **substrate** subcell having a side
and being characterized by a substrate subcell bandgap and a
substrate subcell lattice const.; at least one subcell disposed
adjacent the side, the subcell being characterized by a subcell
lattice const. that is different than the substrate subcell lattice
const.; and a transition layer intermediate the side and the
subcell.
- IT **7440-56-4**, Germanium, uses **107068-90-6**, Gallium
indium phosphide Ga_{0.52}In_{0.48}P **110666-82-5**, Gallium indium
phosphide Ga_{0.6}In_{0.4}P **118692-57-2**, Gallium indium
phosphide Ga_{0.55}In_{0.45}P
(multijunction photovoltaic cell using silicon or silicon-
germanium substrate)
- RN 7440-56-4 HCA
- CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)
- Ge
- RN 107068-90-6 HCA
- CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.52}In_{0.48}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.48	7440-74-6
Ga	0.52	7440-55-3

RN 110666-82-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.6}In_{0.4}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.4	7440-74-6
Ga	0.6	7440-55-3

RN 118692-57-2 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.55}In_{0.45}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.45	7440-74-6
Ga	0.55	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-068

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST **solar cell silicon germanium**
substrate; photovoltaic cell silicon **germanium**
substrate

IT Photoelectric devices

Solar cells

(multijunction photovoltaic cell using silicon or silicon-
germanium substrate)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses
7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 11148-21-3 12064-03-8,
Gallium antimonide 12645-36-2, Gallium indium arsenide phosphide
53218-65-8, Germanium 92, silicon 8 atomic 55000-69-6, Germanium
98, silicon 2 atomic **107068-90-6**, Gallium indium phosphide
Ga_{0.52}In_{0.48}P 108821-75-6, Gallium arsenide phosphide
GaAs_{0.83}P_{0.17} 108915-75-9, Antimony gallium arsenide Sb_{0.1}GaAs_{0.9}
110666-82-5, Gallium indium phosphide Ga_{0.6}In_{0.4}P
118340-56-0, Gallium indium arsenide Ga_{0.73}In_{0.27}As
118692-57-2, Gallium indium phosphide Ga_{0.55}In_{0.45}P
120472-49-3, germanium 83, silicon 17 atomic 130042-18-1, Gallium
arsenide phosphide GaAs_{0.93}P_{0.07}

(multijunction photovoltaic cell using silicon or silicon-
germanium substrate)

L25 ANSWER 17 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

134:283284 **Solar cells** and tunnel diodes. Ikeda,
Eiji (Japan Energy Corp., Japan). Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho JP
2001102608 A2 20010413, 10 pp. (Japanese). CODEN: JKXXAF.
APPLICATION: JP 1999-273324 19990927.

AB The **solar cells** have a **Ge**
substrate, a bottom cell on the substrate, a 1st doped 1st
cond. type AlyIn1-yP layer having lattice structure matching the
substrate on the bottom cell, a 1st highly doped 1st cond. type
InxGa1-xP layer having matching lattice on the 1st doped layer, a
2nd highly doped 2nd cond. type InxGa1-xP layer having matching
lattice on the 1st highly doped layer forming a tunnel junction with
the 1st highly doped layer, a 2nd doped 2nd cond. type AlyIn1-yP
layer on the 2nd highly doped layer, and a top cell on the 2nd doped
layer. Tunnel diodes for semiconductor devices on **Ge**
substrates have a 1st doped 1st cond. type AlyIn1-yP layer
(0.45 .ltoreq.y .ltoreq.0.55), a 1st highly doped 1st cond. type
InxGa1-xP layer (0.45 .ltoreq.x .ltoreq.0.55) on the 1st doped
layer, a 2nd highly doped 2nd cond. type InxGa1-xP layer on the 1st
highly doped layer forming a tunnel junction with the 1st highly
doped layer, a 2nd doped 2nd cond. type AlyIn1-yP layer on the 2nd
highly doped layer.

IT **112050-18-7**, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.99In0.01P)
(**bottom cells** in **solar cells** contg.
germanium substrates and semiconductor layer
with matching lattice structure)

RN 112050-18-7 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.99In0.01P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.01	7440-74-6
Ga	0.99	7440-55-3

IT **7440-56-4**, Germanium, uses **106770-37-0**, Gallium
indium phosphide (Ga0.51In0.49P)
(**solar cells** and tunnel diodes contg.
germanium substrates and semiconductor layer
with matching lattice structure)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 106770-37-0 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.51In0.49P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-04

ICS H01L029-88

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST pnictide **solar cell** substrate lattice matching
 structure; tunnel diode pnictide substrate lattice matching
 structure; **germanium substrate** pnictide
solar cell lattice matching structure

IT Crystal structure

Solar cells

Tunnel diodes

(**solar cells** and tunnel diodes contg.

germanium substrates and semiconductor layer
 with matching lattice structure)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 106070-25-1, Gallium indium
 arsenide 106495-91-4, Gallium indium arsenide (Ga0.99In0.01As)
 112050-18-7, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.99In0.01P)
 (bottom **cells** in **solar cells** contg.

germanium substrates and semiconductor layer
 with matching lattice structure)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 106770-37-0, Gallium
 indium phosphide (Ga0.51In0.49P) 107102-89-6, Aluminum gallium
 indium phosphide 107102-99-8, Aluminum indium phosphide
 (Al0.52In0.48P)

(**solar cells** and tunnel diodes contg.

germanium substrates and semiconductor layer
 with matching lattice structure)

L25 ANSWER 18 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

134:118306 Recent developments in high-efficiency Ga0.5In0.5P/GaAs/Ge
 dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**: steps to
 next-generation PV cells. Karam, N. H.; King, R. R.; Haddad, M.;
 Ermer, J. H.; Yoon, H.; Cotal, H. L.; Sudharsanan, R.; Eldredge, J.
 W.; Edmondson, K.; Joslin, D. E.; Krut, D. D.; Takahashi, M.;
 Nishikawa, W.; Gillanders, M.; Granata, J.; Hebert, P.; Cavicchi, B.
 T.; Lillington, D. R. (Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA).
 Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells, 66(1-4), 453-466 (English)
 2001. CODEN: SEMCEQ. ISSN: 0927-0248. Publisher: Elsevier Science

B.V..

AB Dual-junction Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs **solar cells** on **Ge substrates** have rapidly gone from small, high-efficiency lab. cells, to large-area, high-efficiency cells manufd. at Spectrolab in high vol. Over 500,000 of these dual-junction cells with 27-cm² area have been produced, with av. air-mass 0 (AM0) load point efficiency of 21.4%. The next step in the evolution of this type of multijunction **solar cell** has been taken, with the development of triple-junction Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge cells. The addn. of the germanium third junction, plus several significant improvements in the device structure, have led to a measured efficiency of 27.0% (AM0, 28.degree.) at Spectrolab on large-area (>30 cm²) triple-junction cells. The triple-junction cell is now in prodn. at Spectrolab. Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge cells are viable not only for non-concg. space applications, but also for terrestrial and space concentrator systems. Efficiencies up to 32.3% at 47 suns under the terrestrial AM1.5D spectrum have been achieved.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(fabrication of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST indium gallium phosphide multijunction **solar cell** development; gallium arsenide multijunction **solar cell** development; germanium multijunction **solar cell** development

IT **Solar cells**
(fabrication of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(fabrication of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and

triple-junction **solar cells**)

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134:103335 Monolithic bypass-diode and **solar-cell**

string assembly. Boutros, Karim S.; Krut, Dmitri D.; Karam, Nasser H. (Hughes Electronics Corporation, USA). PCT Int. Appl. WO 2001006565 A1 20010125, 30 pp. DESIGNATED STATES: W: JP; RW: AT, BE, CH, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE. (English). CODEN: PIXXD2. APPLICATION: WO 2000-US7403 20000320. PRIORITY: US 1999-353526 19990714.

AB A method for making a **solar cell** with an integrated bypass diode comprises the steps of depositing a second layer having a first type of dopant on a first layer having an opposite type of dopant to the first type of dopant to form a **solar cell**, depositing a third layer having the first type of dopant on the second layer, depositing a fourth layer having the opposite type of dopant on the third layer, the third layer and fourth layer forming a bypass diode, selectively etching the third layer and the fourth layer to expose the second layer and the third layer, and applying contacts to the fourth layer, third layer, and the first layer to allow elec. connections to the assembly. The app. comprises a first layer having a first type of dopant, a second layer having a second type of dopant opposite to the first type of dopant, wherein the first layer and the second layer form a **solar cell**, a third layer, coupled to the second layer, and a fourth layer, coupled to the third layer, the third layer and the fourth layer forming a bypass diode.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide

(app. and method for fabrication of monolithic bypass-diode and **solar-cell** string assembly)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses

(**substrate**; app. and method for fabrication of monolithic bypass-diode and **solar-cell** string assembly)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L027-142
 CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 Section cross-reference(s): 76
 ST **solar cell** integrated bypass diode
 IT Diodes
 Solar cells
 (app. and method for fabrication of monolithic bypass-diode and
 solar-cell string assembly)
 IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 12063-98-8, Gallium phosphide,
 uses 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (app. and method for fabrication of monolithic bypass-diode and
 solar-cell string assembly)
 IT 7440-21-3, Silicon, uses 7440-56-4, **Germanium**,
 uses 22398-80-7, Indium phosphide, uses
 (**substrate**; app. and method for fabrication of
 monolithic bypass-diode and **solar-cell** string
 assembly)

L25 ANSWER 20 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
 133:275222 Forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
germanium substrate for use in **solar**
cells. Ermer, James H.; Cai, Li; Haddad, Moran; Cavicchi,
 Bruce T.; Karam, Nasser H. (Hughes Electronics Corporation, USA).
 PCT Int. Appl. WO 2000059045 A2 20001005, 18 pp. DESIGNATED STATES:
 W: JP; RW: AT, BE, CH, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU,
 MC, NL, PT, SE. (English). CODEN: PIXXD2. APPLICATION: WO
 2000-US7402 20000320. PRIORITY: US 1999-280771 19990329.

AB A multilayer semiconductor structure includes a **germanium**
substrate having a first surface. The **germanium**
substrate has two regions, a bulk p-type germanium region,
 and a phosphorus-doped n-type germanium region adjacent to the first
 surface. A layer of a phosphide material overlies and contacts the
 first **surface** of the **germanium substrate**
 . A layer of gallium arsenide overlies and contacts the layer of
 the phosphide material, and elec. contacts may be added to form a
solar cell. Addnl. photovoltaic junctions may be
 added to form multi-junction **solar cells**. The
solar cells may be assembled together to form
 solar panels.

IT 106312-00-9P, Gallium indium phosphide
 (in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
 germanium substrate for use in **solar**
 cells)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component		Ratio		Component
				Registry Number

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=====+=====+=====
P          |          1          |          7723-14-0
In         |          0 - 1        |          7440-74-6
Ga         |          0 - 1        |          7440-55-3
=====+=====+=====

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IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
 (passivated; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on
 P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in
solar cells)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L031-072

CC 76-3 (Electric Phenomena)

Section cross-reference(s): 52, 56

ST multilayer phosphide semiconductor structure phosphorus doped
 germanium; elec contact photovoltaic junction **solar**
cell semiconductor device fabrication

IT Photoelectric devices

Solar cells

(forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
germanium substrate for use in)

IT Semiconductor devices

(forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
germanium substrate for use in **solar**
cells)

IT Semiconductor device fabrication

(forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
germanium substrate in)

IT Diffusion

Electric contacts

Passivation

(in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped
germanium substrate for use in **solar**
cells)

IT Group VA element compounds

(phosphides; forming multilayer semiconductor structure on
 P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in
solar cells)

IT Doping

(phosphorus; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on
 P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in
solar cells)

IT 75-24-1, Trimethyl aluminum 97-93-8, Triethyl aluminum, processes
 (aluminum source; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure
 on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in

- solar cells)**
- IT 7723-14-0, Phosphorus, uses
(dopant; forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**
- IT 1115-99-7, Triethyl gallium 1445-79-0, Trimethyl gallium
(gallium source; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**
- IT 1303-00-0P, Gallium arsenide, processes 106312-00-9P,
Gallium indium phosphide 107102-89-6P, Aluminum gallium indium
phosphide 107121-39-1P, Aluminum indium phosphide
(in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**
- IT 7440-38-2, Arsenic, processes
(in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**
- IT 923-34-2, Triethyl indium 3385-78-2, Trimethyl indium
(indium source; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**
- IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, processes
(passivated; in forming multilayer semiconductor structure on P-doped **germanium substrate** for use in **solar cells)**

L25 ANSWER 21 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

133:166160 32.3% efficient triple junction GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge concentrator **solar cells**. Lillington, D.; Cotal, H.; Ermer, J.; Friedman, D.; Moriarty, T.; Duda, A. (Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). Proceedings of the Intersociety Energy Conversion Engineering Conference, 35th(Vol. 1), 516-521 (English) 2000. CODEN: PIECDE. ISSN: 0146-955X. Publisher: Society of Automotive Engineers.

AB This paper describes progress toward achieving high-efficiency, multijunction **solar cells** for cost effective application in terrestrial photovoltaic concentrator systems. Small area triple junction GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge **solar cells** have been fabricated with an efficiency of >32% when measured at National Renewable Energy Lab. under an air-mass 1.5D spectrum at 47 suns concn. Small changes to the device design can achieve similar efficiencies at concn. ratios of .apprx.500 suns, resulting in cell costs of \$0.5-0.6/W today, at prodn. vols. of .apprx.50 MW/yr. This makes them highly cost effective in existing concentrator systems, compared to flat plate technologies. The future development of new 1 eV materials for space cells, in conjunction with further redn. in **Ge wafer** costs, promises to achieve **solar cells** of >40% efficiency that cost \$0.4/W or less at these

concn. ratios.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium
indium phosphide (GaInP2)
(development of high-efficiency triple junction gallium indium
phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium concentrator **solar**
cells)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST indium gallium phosphide triple junction concentrator **solar**
cell; gallium arsenide triple junction concentrator
solar cell; germanium triple junction concentrator
solar cell

IT **Solar cells**
(concentrator; development of high-efficiency triple junction
gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium concentrator
solar cells)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium,
uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2)
(development of high-efficiency triple junction gallium indium
phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium concentrator **solar**
cells)

L25 ANSWER 22 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

132:95654 Strain relaxation in III-V **solar cells**

grown on **germanium substrates**. Goorsky, M. S.;
Hess, R. R.; Moore, C. D. (Department of Materials Science and
Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, CA, 90095-2595,
USA). Lattice Mismatched Thin Films, Proceedings of the
International Workshop on Lattice-Mismatched and Heterovalent Thin
Film Epitaxy, 1st, Castelveccchio Pascoli, Italy, Sept. 13-15, 1998,
Meeting Date 1998, 73-80. Editor(s): Fitzgerald, Eugene A.
Minerals, Metals & Materials Society: Warrendale, Pa. (English)
1999. CODEN: 68KRAT.

AB The materials properties of Group III-V tandem **solar**

cells grown on Ge were examd. using triple axis x-ray scattering techniques. First, the 5 .mu.m GaAs buffer layer was found to be relaxed by .apprxeq.85% with respect to the underlying **Ge substrate**. The extent of relaxation did not change with lattice direction and a tilt on the order of 60 arc sec exists at the interface. Based on first order comparison of the coeffs. of thermal expansion between the two materials, the GaAs layer is nearly fully relaxed at the growth temp. of about 700.degree. and becomes strained during cooling. Second, $\text{Al}_{0.63}\text{Ga}_{0.37}\text{As}$ and $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{P}$ ($0.48 < X_{\text{In}} < 0.53$) layers were detd. to be pseudomorphic with respect to the GaAs buffer layer and maintain the same miscut direction as the substrate. Anal. of these layers also shows that the std. interpretations used to det. lattice rotations and tilts for both strained and relaxed layers may be incorrect under certain circumstances.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
 (strain relaxation in Group III-V **solar cells**
 grown on **germanium substrates**)
 RN 106312-00-9 HCA
 CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 (strain relaxation in Group III-V **solar cells**
 grown on **germanium substrates**)
 RN 7440-56-4 HCA
 CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST **solar cell** Group III V strain relaxation;
germanium substrate solar cell
 strain relaxation
 IT Metalorganic vapor phase epitaxy
Tandem solar cells
 (strain relaxation in Group III-V **solar cells**
 grown on **germanium substrates**)
 IT Group IIIA element pnictides
 (strain relaxation in Group III-V **solar cells**
 grown on **germanium substrates**)
 IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 106312-00-9, Gallium

indium phosphide 106804-30-2, Aluminum gallium arsenide
al0.6ga0.4as

(strain relaxation in Group III-V solar cells
grown on germanium substrates)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(strain relaxation in Group III-V solar cells
grown on germanium substrates)

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132:4805 Solar cell having an integral
monolithically grown bypass diode. Ho, Frank; Yeh, Milton Y.; Chu,
Chaw-Long; Iles, Peter A. (Tecstar Power Systems, Inc., USA). PCT
Int. Appl. WO 9962125 A1 19991202, 33 pp. DESIGNATED STATES: W:
AE, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BY, CA, CH, CN, CU, CZ,
CZ, DE, DE, DK, DK, EE, EE, ES, FI, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU,
ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV,
MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, NO, NZ, PL, PT, RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI; RW:
AT, BE, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CH, CI, CM, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GA, GB,
GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, ML, MR, NE, NL, PT, SE, SN, TD, TG. (English).
CODEN: PIXXD2. APPLICATION: WO 1999-US11171 19990519. PRIORITY: US
1998-PV87206 19980528.

AB The present invention is directed to systems and methods for
protecting a solar cell. The solar
cell includes first solar cell portion.
The first solar cell portion includes at least
one junction and at least one solar cell contact
on a backside of the first solar cell portion.
At least one bypass diode portion is epitaxially grown on the first
solar cell portion. The bypass diode has at least
one contact. An interconnect couples the solar
cell contact to the diode contact.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(solar cell having integral monolithically
grown bypass diode)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(substrate; solar cell having
integral monolithically grown bypass diode)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC H01L031-042; H01L031-05; H01L031-06; H01L031-18; H01L027-142;
H01L023-62

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST **solar cell** protection bypass diode

IT Diodes
(bypass; **solar cell** having integral
monolithically grown bypass diode)

IT **Solar cells**
Space vehicles
(**solar cell** having integral monolithically
grown bypass diode)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 37382-15-3, Aluminum gallium
arsenide 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(**solar cell** having integral monolithically
grown bypass diode)

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
(**substrate; solar cell** having
integral monolithically grown bypass diode)

L25 ANSWER 24 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN

131:274142 Development and characterization of high-efficiency
Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar
cells**. Karam, Nasser H.; King, Richard R.; Cavicchi, B.
Terence; Krut, Dimitri D.; Ermer, James H.; Haddad, Moran; Cai, Li;
Joslin, David E.; Takahashi, Mark; Eldredge, Jack W.; Nishikawa,
Warren T.; Lillington, David R.; Keyes, Brian M.; Ahrenkiel, Richard
K. (Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). IEEE Transactions on
Electron Devices, 46(10), 2116-2125 (English) 1999. CODEN: IETDAI.
ISSN: 0018-9383. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics
Engineers.

AB This paper describes recent progress in the characterization, anal.,
and development of high-efficiency, radiation-resistant
Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual-junction (DJ) and triple-junction (TJ)
solar cells. DJ cells have rapidly transitioned
from the lab. to full-scale (325 kW/yr) prodn. at Spectrolab.
Performance data for >470,000 large-area (26.94 cm²), thin (140
.mu.m) DJ **solar cells** grown on low-cost,
high-strength **Ge substrates** are shown. Advances
in next-generation triple-junction Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge cells with an
active Ge component cell are discussed, giving efficiencies up to
26.7% (21.65-cm² area), air-mass 0, at 28.degree.. Final-to-initial
power ratios P/P₀ of 0.83 were measured for these n-on-p DJ and TJ
cells after irradiation with 10¹⁵ 1-MeV electrons/cm². Time-resolved
photoluminescence measurements are applied to double

heterostructures grown with semiconductor layers and interfaces relevant to these multijunction **solar cells**, to characterize surface and bulk recombination and guide further device improvements. Dual- and triple-junction Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge cells are compared to competing space photovoltaic technologies, and found to offer 60-75% more end-of-life power than high-efficiency Si cells at a nominal array temp. of 60.degree..

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(development and characterization of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST indium gallium phosphide junction **solar cell**;
gallium arsenide germanium junction **solar cell**

IT **Solar cells**
(development and characterization of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P)
(development and characterization of high-efficiency Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P/GaAs/Ge dual- and triple-junction **solar cells**)

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130:354751 Method for fabrication of high-efficiency **solar cell**. Hou, Hong Q.; Reinhardt, Kitt C. (Sandia Corporation, USA). PCT Int. Appl. WO 9927587 A1 19990603, 46 pp. DESIGNATED STATES: W: AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BY, CA, CH, CN, CU, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, GB, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, NO, NZ, PL, PT, RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, SL, TJ, TM, TR, TT, UA,

UG, UZ, VN, YU, ZW, AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM; RW: AT, BE, BF, BJ, CF, CG, CH, CI, CM, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GA, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, ML, MR, NE, NL, PT, SE, SN, TD, TG. (English). CODEN: PIXXD2. APPLICATION: WO 1998-US25377 19981124. PRIORITY: US 1997-978658 19971126.

AB A high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction **solar cell** is disclosed with a theor. AM0 energy conversion efficiency of about 40%. The **solar cell** includes p-n junctions, formed from InGaAsN, GaAs and InGaAlP sepd. by n-p tunnel junctions. An optimal Ge p-n junction can be formed in the substrate upon which the other p-n junctions are grown. The bandgap energies for each p-n junction are tailored to provide substantially equal short-circuit currents for each p-n junction, thereby eliminating current bottlenecks and improving the overall energy conversion efficiency of the **solar cell**. Addnl., the use of an InGaAsN p-n junction overcomes super-bandgap energy losses that are present in conventional multi-junction **solar cells**. A method is also disclosed for fabricating the high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction **solar cell** by metal-org. chem. vapor deposition.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(method for fabrication of high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction **solar cell**)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, **Germanium**, uses
(**substrate**; method for fabrication of high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction **solar cell**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IC ICM H01L031-00

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST indium gallium arsenide nitride **solar cell**

IT Vapor deposition process

(metalorg.; method for fabrication of high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction **solar cell**)

IT **Solar cells**

(method for fabrication of high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction
solar cell)

IT 12645-36-2, Gallium indium arsenide phosphide 37382-15-3, Aluminum
gallium arsenide ((Al,Ga)As) **106312-00-9**, Gallium indium
phosphide 107102-89-6, Aluminum gallium indium phosphide
107121-39-1, Aluminum indium phosphide 156739-92-3, Gallium indium
arsenide nitride 225106-31-0, Aluminum gallium indium arsenide
nitride

(method for fabrication of high-efficiency 3- or 4-junction
solar cell)

IT **7440-56-4, Germanium**, uses
(**substrate**; method for fabrication of high-efficiency
3- or 4-junction **solar cell**)

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130:97938 **Solar cells** for the Rover on Mars.

Yamaguchi, Masafumi (Grad. Sch. Eng., Toyota Technol. Inst., Nagoya,
468-8511, Japan). Oyo Butsuri, 67(11), 1311-1314 (Japanese) 1998.
CODEN: OYBSA9. ISSN: 0369-8009. Publisher: Oyo Butsuri Gakkai.

AB A review with 12 refs. **GaAs solar cells**
fabricated on **Ge substrates** have been used for
the Lander and Rover on Mars. Recently, the first satellite using
InGaP/GaAs 2-junction solar cells has
already been launched. In this paper, the characteristics and
physics of **solar cells** grown on **Ge**
substrates and properties of **solar cells**
for the Rover on Mars are described. Moreover, future prospects of
space **solar cells** are discussed.

CC 52-0 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 76

ST review **solar cell** Lander Rover Mars; gallium
arsenide phosphide **solar cell** review

IT Electric vehicles

Solar cells

Space vehicles

(**InGaP/GaAs solar cells** for the
Rover on Mars)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 60953-19-7, Gallium arsenide
phosphide

(**InGaP/GaAs solar cells** for the
Rover on Mars)

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129:233067 Manufacturing and testing of GaAs/Ge **solar**

cells using large capacity MOCVD equipments. Flores, C.;
Smekens, G.; Timo, G.; Passoni, D.; Campesato, R.; De Villers, T.
(CISE SpA, Segrate, 20090, Italy). European Space Agency, [Special
Publication] SP, SP-416(Vol. 2, Fifth European Space Power
Conference, 1998, Vol. 2), 523-525 (English) 1998. CODEN: ESPUD4.

ISSN: 0379-6566. Publisher: ESA Publications Division.

AB This paper describes the experience gained in manufg. GaAs/Ge space **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition (MOCVD) equipments, namely AIX2400 and AIX2600 gen.3. These equipments have been adapted to grow **solar cell** structures on large **Ge wafers** up to 115 mm in diam.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
(manuf. of gallium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(manuf. of gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium cascade **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST gallium arsenide germanium **solar cell** manuf

IT **Solar cells**
(cascade; manuf. of gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium cascade **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

IT **Solar cells**
(manuf. of gallium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses

(manuf. of gallium arsenide/germanium **solar cells** using large capacity metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(manuf. of gallium indium phosphide/gallium arsenide/germanium cascade **solar cells** using large capacity

metalorg. chem. vapor deposition app.)

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128:324144 **Solar cells** with single crystal substrates. Nakajima, Kazuo (Fujitsu Ltd., Japan). . Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho JP 10135494 A2 19980522 Heisei, 9 pp. (Japanese). CODEN: JKXXAF. APPLICATION: JP 1996-292563 19961105.

AB The **solar cells** have a compd. semiconductor layer contg. at least a p-n junction on a single crystal Si_{1-x}Ge_x substrate matching the lattice of the substrate. Preferably, the substrate is Si_{0.02}Ge_{0.98} and the compd. layer has a GaAs bottom film on the substrate and an In_{0.5}Ga_{0.5}P top film, or the substrate is Si_{0.92}Ge_{0.08} and the compd. layer is GaP.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P) (**solar cells** with single crystal **germanium** silicon **substrates** and compd. semiconductor layer having matching lattice)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-04

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST **solar cell** single cryst silicon germanium;
gallium phosphide silicon germanium **solar cell**;
gallium arsenide silicon germanium **solar cell**;
indium gallium phosphide **solar cell**

IT **Solar cells**
(**solar cells** with single crystal **germanium** silicon **substrates** and compd. semiconductor layer having matching lattice)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 11148-23-5 12063-98-8, Gallium phosphide, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.5}In_{0.5}P) 55000-69-6
(**solar cells** with single crystal **germanium** silicon **substrates** and compd. semiconductor layer having matching lattice)

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127:164361 Manufacturing experience with GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge solar **panels** for space demonstration. Linder, E.B.; Hanley, J. P. (TECSTAR INC., Applied Solar Division, City of Industry, CA, 91745, USA). Conference Record of the IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists

Conference, 25th, 267-270 (English) 1996. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB TECSTAR has begun prodn. of dual-junction GaInP2/GaAs/Ge **solar cells** for space power application and has used these high-performance cells to manuf. several solar panels for crit. technol. demonstration. All cell and panel manufg. was performed at TECSTAR's existing facilities using std. processing techniques. Addnl., a panel coupon has been built for lab. evaluation. These important technol. demonstration activities are reported, including performance results.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide gainp2
(manufg. experience with GaInP2/GaAs/Ge solar **panels** for space demonstration)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP2) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST **solar cell** gallium indium phosphide; arsenide
gallium **solar cell**; germanium **solar cell**; space demonstration **solar cell**

IT **Solar cells**
Space vehicles
(manufg. experience with GaInP2/GaAs/Ge solar **panels** for space demonstration)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide gainp2
(manufg. experience with GaInP2/GaAs/Ge solar **panels** for space demonstration)

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124:321477 Large area GaInP2/GaAs/Ge multijunction **solar cells** for space applications. Chiang, P. K.; Krut, D. D.; Cavicchi, B. T.; Bertness, K. A.; Kurtz, Sarah R.; Olson, J. M. (Spectrolab Inc., Sylmar, CA, 91342, USA). Conference Record of the

IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference, 24th(1994 IEEE First World Conference on Photovoltaic Energy Conversion, Vol. 2), 2120-3 (English) 1994. CODEN: CRCNDP. ISSN: 0160-8371. Publisher: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

AB We report herein the demonstration of high efficiency GaInP₂/GaAs **solar cells** on **germanium substrates**, and highly uniform cell results from a multiwafer MOVPE reactor. A peak efficiency of 24.2% (AM0, 28.degree.) has been achieved for dual-junctions grown on Ge. Further, the degree of MOVPE layer uniformity required for large area cells has been demonstrated with multiwafer growths on 3 in. diam. GaAs substrates. In addn. to this exptl. dual-junction result, we present modeling for the next step of this cell technol. - a triple junction GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge cell.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (gainp2)
(large area GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge multijunction **solar cells** for space applications)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP₂) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====+=====+=====		
P	2	7723-14-0
In	1	7440-74-6
Ga	1	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST **solar cell** multijunction space; gallium indium phosphide **solar cell** space

IT Photoelectric devices, solar
(multijunction; large area GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge multijunction **solar cells** for space applications)

IT Epitaxy
(metalorg. vapor-phase, large area GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge multijunction **solar cells** for space applications)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (gainp2)
(large area GaInP₂/GaAs/Ge multijunction **solar cells** for space applications)

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124:92517 The p/n InP **solar cells** on **Ge**

wafers. Wojtczuk, Steven; Vernon, Stanley; Burke, Edward A. (Spire Corp., Bedford, MA, USA). NASA Conference Publication, 3278 (Proceedings of the XIII Space Photovoltaic Research and Technology Conference, 1994), 91-8 (English) 1994. CODEN: NACPDJ. ISSN: 0191-7811. Publisher: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

AB InP p-on-n one-**sun solar cells** were epitaxially grown using a metalorg. chem. vapor deposition process on **Ge wafers**. The motivation for this work is to replace expensive InP wafers, which are fragile and must be thick and therefore heavy, with less expensive **Ge wafers**, which are stronger, allowing use of thinner, lighter wt. wafers. An intermediate InxGa1-xP grading layer starting as In0.49Ga0.51P at the GaAs-coated Ge wafer surface and ending as InP at the top of the grading layer (backside of the InP cell) was used to attempt to bend some of the threading dislocations generated by lattice-mismatch between the **Ge wafer** and InP cell so they would be harmlessly confined in this grading layer. The best InP/Ge cell was independently measured by NASA-Lewis with a one-sun 25.degree. AM0 efficiency of 9.1%, open-circuit voltage of 790 mV, fill-factor of 70%, and short-circuit photocurrent 22.6 mA/cm2. We believe this is the first published report of an InP cell grown on a **Ge wafer**.

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide 106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide Ga0.51In0.49P

(metalorg. chem. vapor deposited indium phosphide p-on-n one-**sun solar cells**)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

RN 106312-00-9 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

RN 106770-37-0 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga0.51In0.49P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST indium phosphide **solar cell germanium wafer**

IT Photoelectric devices, solar
(metalorg. chem. vapor deposited indium phosphide p-on-n one-
sun solar cells)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses
(**Ge wafer** coated with; metalorg. chem. vapor
deposited indium phosphide p-on-n one-**sun solar**
cells)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses 22398-80-7, Indium phosphide,
uses 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide $\text{Ga}_{0.51}\text{In}_{0.49}\text{P}$
(metalorg. chem. vapor deposited indium phosphide p-on-n one-
sun solar cells)

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123:318703 U.S. advances in multi-junction **solar cells**
/panels for space. Ho, F. F.; Yeh, Y. C. M. (Applied Solar Energy
Corporation, City of Industry, CA, 91749, USA). European Space
Agency, [Special Publication] ESA SP, ESA SP-369 (Vol. 2, Proceedings
of the European Space Power Conference, 1995, Vol. 2), 683-6
(English) 1995. CODEN: ESPUD4. ISSN: 0379-6566. Publisher: ESA
Publications.

AB The prodn. status of cascade **solar cells** for
space application is described. Based on the reported performance
and evaluation of the user requirements, a monolithic, two-terminal
cell comprising $\text{GaInP}_2/\text{GaAs}$ grown on **Ge substrate**
was selected. Current performance data is presented, and the plans
to incorporate high-efficiency, space-qualified cascade cells into
the present prodn. mix of Si and GaAs cells are discussed.

IT 12776-63-5, Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP_2)
(prodn. status of monolithic, two-terminal gallium indium
phosphide/gallium arsenide cascade **solar cells**
for space application)

RN 12776-63-5 HCA

CN Gallium indium phosphide (GaInP_2) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
=====	=====	=====
P	2	7723-14-0

In		1		7440-74-6
Ga		1		7440-55-3

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 (substrate; prodn. status of monolithic, two-terminal
 cascade solar cells of gallium indium
 phosphide/gallium arsenide grown on)

RN 7440-56-4 HCA

CN Germanium (7CI, 8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Ge

CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
 ST solar cell cascade prodn space; indium gallium
 phosphide cascade solar cell; gallium arsenide
 cascade solar cell

IT Photoelectric devices, solar
 (cascade, prodn. status of monolithic, two-terminal gallium
 indium phosphide/gallium arsenide cascade solar
 cells for space application)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 12776-63-5, Gallium
 indium phosphide (GaInP₂)
 (prodn. status of monolithic, two-terminal gallium indium
 phosphide/gallium arsenide cascade solar cells
 for space application)

IT 7440-56-4, Germanium, uses
 (substrate; prodn. status of monolithic, two-terminal
 cascade solar cells of gallium indium
 phosphide/gallium arsenide grown on)

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122:318717 High-efficiency multijunction solar cell.

Ho, Frank F.; Yeh, Milton Y. (Applied Solar Energy Corp., USA).

U.S. US 5405453 A 19950411, 9 pp. (English). CODEN: USXXAM.

APPLICATION: US 1993-149052 19931108.

AB The cell comprises a Ge substrate having a front
 and a back surface; a back metal contact on the back surface of the
 substrate; a 1st semiconductor cell comprising a GaAs p-n junction
 with the n-GaAs layer formed on the front surface of the substrate,
 and a p-(Al,Ga)As window layer on the p-GaAs layer; a tunnel diode
 comprising a GaAs p+-n+ junction with the p+-GaAs layer formed on
 the p-(Al,Ga)As window layer; and a 2nd semiconductor cell
 comprising a (Ga,In)P p-n junction with the n(Ga,In)P layer formed
 on the n+-GaAs layer of the tunnel diode, a p-(Al,In)P window or
 contact layer formed on the p-(Ga,In)P layer, metal grid lines
 contacting either the p-(Ga,In)P layer or the p-(Al,In)P layer, and
 .gtoreq.1 antireflection coating layer covering the (Al,In)P layer.
 The cascade cell of the invention permits achieving actual

efficiencies of >23%.

IT 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
(high-efficiency multijunction **solar cell**
contg. layer of)
RN 106312-00-9 HCA
CN Gallium indium phosphide ((Ga,In)P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0 - 1	7440-74-6
Ga	0 - 1	7440-55-3

IC ICM H01L031-068
INCL 136249000
CC 52-2 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)
ST gallium arsenide cascade **solar cell**; aluminum
gallium arsenide **solar cell**; indium gallium
phosphide **solar cell**; phosphide aluminum indium
solar cell
IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 37382-15-3, Aluminum gallium
arsenide ((Al,Ga)As) 106312-00-9, Gallium indium phosphide
107121-39-1, Aluminum indium phosphide
(high-efficiency multijunction **solar cell**
contg. layer of)

L25 ANSWER 34 OF 34 HCA COPYRIGHT 2005 ACS on STN
122:60037 High-efficiency tandem **solar cells** on
single- and poly-crystalline substrates. Hutchby, J. A.; Timmons,
M. L.; Venkatasubramanian, R.; Sharps, P. R.; Whisnant, R. A.
(Center for Semiconductor Research, Research Triangle Institute,
Research Triangle Park, NC, 27709, USA). Solar Energy Materials and
Solar Cells, 35(1-4), 9-24 (English) 1994. CODEN: SEMCEQ. ISSN:
0927-0248. Publisher: Elsevier.

AB A review with 28 refs. This paper will review and assess the
current status of the development of tandem **solar**
cells for space and terrestrial applications. We will also
introduce and present results on a new In_{0.49}Ga_{0.51}P/GaAs tandem
cell grown and fabricated on a low-cost, polycryst. **Ge**
substrate.

IT 106770-37-0, Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P)
(high-efficiency tandem **solar cells** on
single- and poly-cryst. substrates)
RN 106770-37-0 HCA
CN Gallium indium phosphide (Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P) (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
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P	1	7723-14-0
In	0.49	7440-74-6
Ga	0.51	7440-55-3

CC 52-0 (Electrochemical, Radiational, and Thermal Energy Technology)

ST review tandem **solar cell**; indium gallium
phosphide **solar cell** review; arsenide gallium
tandem **solar cell** review

IT Photoelectric devices, solar
(high-efficiency tandem **solar cells** on
single- and poly-cryst. substrates)

IT 1303-00-0, Gallium arsenide, uses 106770-37-0, Gallium
indium phosphide (Ga_{0.51}In_{0.49}P)
(high-efficiency tandem **solar cells** on
single- and poly-cryst. substrates)